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2011 SCHEDULES & SCOREBOARDS

MICHIGAN STATE (10-3, 7-1 Big Ten)

Sept. 2	YOUNGSTOWN STATE (BTN)	W, 28-6
Sept. 10	FLORIDA ATLANTIC (ESPN2)	W, 44-0
Sept. 17	at Notre Dame (NBC)	L, 13-31
Sept. 24	CENTRAL MICHIGAN (ESPNU)	W, 45-7
Oct. 1	at Ohio State (ABC)	W, 10-7
Oct. 15	MICHIGAN (ESPN)	W, 28-14
Oct. 22	WISCONSIN (ESPN)	W, 37-31
Oct. 29	at Nebraska (ESPN)	L, 3-24
Nov. 5	MINNESOTA (BTN)	W, 31-24
Nov. 12	at Iowa (ESPN2)	W, 37-21
Nov. 19	INDIANA (BTN)	W, 55-3
Nov. 26	at Northwestern (BTN)	W, 31-17
Dec. 3	vs. Wisconsin* (FOX)	L, 39-42
Jan. 2	vs. Georgia+ (ABC)	1 p.m.

* Big Ten Championship Game, Lucas Oil Stadium, Indianapolis, Ind.
+ Outback Bowl, Raymond James Stadium, Tampa, Fla.

GEORGIA (10-3, 7-1 SEC)

Sept. 3	vs. Boise State#	L, 21-35
Sept. 10	SOUTH CAROLINA	L, 42-45
Sept. 17	COASTAL CAROLINA	W, 59-0
Sept. 24	at Ole Miss	W, 27-13
Oct. 1	MISSISSIPPI STATE	W, 24-10
Oct. 8	at Tennessee	W, 20-12
Oct. 15	at Vanderbilt	W, 33-28
Oct. 29	vs. Florida^	W, 24-20
Nov. 5	NEW MEXICO STATE	W, 63-16
Nov. 12	AUBURN	W, 45-7
Nov. 19	KENTUCKY	W, 19-10
Nov. 26	at Georgia Tech	W, 31-17
Dec. 3	vs. LSU#	L, 10-42
Jan. 2	vs. Michigan State+	1 p.m.

# Georgia Dome, Atlanta, Ga.
^ EverBank Field, Jacksonville, Fla.
+ Outback Bowl, Raymond James Stadium, Tampa, Fla.

BROADCAST COVERAGE

TELEVISION: ABC will televise the 2012 Outback Bowl live to a national audience, with Mike Tirico handling the play-by-play, Jon Gruden providing color commentary and Rob Stone serving as the sideline reporter.

RADIO: The Spartan Sports Network, featuring veteran play-by-play announcer George Blaha, color analyst Jim Miller, sideline reporter Jason Strayhorn and broadcast host Will Tieman, will broadcast the game to 33 affiliates throughout the state. Michigan State football broadcasts can be heard on flagship stations WJIM (AM 1240)/WMMQ (FM 94.9) in Lansing and WJR Radio (AM 760) in Detroit. The 2012 Outback Bowl game also can be heard live nationally on ESPN Radio, with Bob Wischusen, John Congemi and Joey Galloway calling the action. The Outback Bowl game can be heard live on satellite radio: SiriusXM (Channel 85).

No. 12/13 MICHIGAN STATE (10-3, 7-1 Big Ten) vs. No. 18/18 GEORGIA (10-3, 7-1 SEC) 2012 OUTBACK BOWL

Monday, Jan. 2 • 1 p.m. EST • ABC
Raymond James Stadium (65,657/natural grass) • Tampa, Fla.

FIRST-AND-10 (what you need to know about the MSU-Georgia matchup) –

- For the third time in four years, Michigan State (10-3, 7-1 Big Ten) is headed to a New Year's Day bowl game, as the 12th-ranked Spartans have accepted an invitation to play No. 18 Georgia (10-3, 7-1 SEC) in the 26th-annual Outback Bowl.
- The Spartans are bowl eligible for a school-record fifth consecutive year (2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl). **Mark Dantonio** also becomes the first coach in Michigan State history to earn a postseason bowl bid in each of his first five seasons.
- Michigan State is making its 22nd postseason bowl appearance overall, including its first-ever trip to the Outback Bowl. The Spartans are 7-14 (.333) in bowl games, including a 0-2 record against Georgia (lost 34-27 in 1989 Gator Bowl; and 24-12 in 2009 Capital One Bowl). It marks MSU's seventh appearance in a Florida-based bowl (1938 Orange, 1989 Gator, 2000 Florida Citrus, 2007 Champs Sports, 2009 Capital One and 2011 Capital One). The Spartans have lost their last five postseason games, with MSU's last bowl victory coming against Fresno State, 44-35, in the 2001 Silicon Valley Football Classic.
- Eight of Michigan State's last nine bowl opponents have been ranked in The Associated Press Top 25, including No. 18 Georgia in the 2012 Outback Bowl, No. 15 Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl, No. 16 Georgia in the 2009 Capital One Bowl, No. 14 Boston College in the 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, No. 22 Nebraska in the 2003 Alamo Bowl, No. 20 Fresno State in the 2001 Silicon Valley Football Classic, No. 10 Florida in the 2000 Florida Citrus Bowl and No. 21 Washington in the 1997 Aloha Bowl.
- Michigan State has compiled a 5-8-1 record (.393) against current members of the Southeastern Conference (0-1 vs. Alabama, 0-1 vs. Auburn, 1-0 vs. Florida, 0-2 vs. Georgia, 2-2 vs. Kentucky, 0-1 vs. LSU and 2-1-1 vs. Mississippi State).
- Seventeen seniors will make their final appearance in a Spartan uniform on Jan. 2, 2012, against Georgia in the Outback Bowl. The 2011 senior class has helped Michigan State to a record of 36-16 (.692) since 2008, including four-straight bowl bids (2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl and 2012 Outback Bowl). *The 36 wins are the most by any senior class in the 115-year history of Michigan State football (previous record: 33 wins by 2010 class).* The 2011 class is also the first to defeat Michigan four-straight years since 1959-62 and finished with a home record of 24-4 (.857).
- Michigan State has compiled a 39-16 record (.709) in games played against non-conference opponents since 1999. **Mark Dantonio** is 16-8 (.667) against non-conference opponents, including a 14-1 record (.933) in Spartan Stadium. Overall, the Spartans have won 22 of their last 31 non-league games (.710).
- Michigan State has won 21 of its last 26 games, dating back to the beginning of the 2010 season, including a 14-2 record in Big Ten play. The 21 wins over the last two seasons is the highest two-year total in school history and ties for ninth most among NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision teams during that same period. In addition, the Spartans have won at least 10 games in back-to-back seasons for the first time in program history.

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MSU's official athletics Web site, msuspartans.com, is the best source for information on the 2011 Michigan State football team. The site includes bios, notes, updated statistics and features. Live stats via Gametracker and game audio is available for every game.

Multimedia features include videos of press conferences and exclusive interviews through MSU All-Access. Audio interviews are also available to download at the Michigan State Athletics podcast page, Spartan Sports Podcasts. The podcast channel at iTunes, free of charge, will feature weekly interviews with Spartan coaches and student-athletes, coaches' weekly radio shows, and radio highlights from Spartan football, men's and women's basketball and hockey games.

Winningest NCAA FBS Teams The Last Two Years (2010-11)

Rank	Team	Total Wins
1.	LSU	24
2.	Boise State	23
	Oregon	23
	Stanford	23
	TCU	23
6.	Oklahoma State	22
	Virginia Tech	22
	Wisconsin	22
9.	*Michigan State*	*21*
	Alabama	21
	Auburn	21
	Oklahoma	21

- Over the last four years, Michigan State has won more Big Ten games (24) than any other conference team. (Note: Ohio State also won 24 games, but had to vacate seven victories following the 2010 season.)
- Michigan State leads the Big Ten in rushing defense (104.3 yards per game), total defense (272.7 ypg.), sacks (41), interceptions (16) and third-down defense (.337). The Spartans rank among the conference leaders in pass efficiency defense (second with a 110.4 rating), turnover margin (second at +0.54 per game), takeaways (third with 22), red-zone defense (third at .771), passing defense (fourth at 168.4 ypg.) and scoring defense (fourth at 17.5 points per game) . MSU also ranks among the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision Top 25 in seven statistical categories: fourth in sacks, fifth in total defense, ninth in scoring defense, 10th in pass efficiency defense, 11th in passing defense, 12th in rushing defense and 22nd in turnover margin.

INSIDE THE NUMBERS –

- Michigan State is ranked No. 12 and No. 13 in the final regular-season Associated Press and USA TODAY Polls, respectively. The Spartans have been ranked in the USA TODAY Poll for 28 consecutive weeks, the longest streak for the program since the national newspaper began administering the poll in 1991.
- The Spartans ranked No. 17 in the final Bowl Championship Series Standings, released Dec. 4. Michigan State has been listed in the BCS Standings (Top 25) for 16 consecutive weeks, the longest streak in school history (BCS Standings first released during 1998 season).
- Nineteen Spartans received All-Big Ten recognition on first team, second team or honorable mention, including all 11 starters on defense. First-team All-Big Ten selections included: DB **Johnny Adams** (coaches), OG **Joel Foreman** (coaches and media), DB **Trenton Robinson** (media) and DL **Jerel Worthy** (coaches and media).
- Michigan State has been a strong first-half team, outscoring its opponents, 254-109 (+145). In the second quarter alone, MSU has outscored its opponents by 139 points, 168-29.
- Fifth-year senior **Kirk Cousins**, the winningest quarterback in school history, has compiled a 26-12 record (.684) in 38 career starts, including a 21-5 mark since the beginning of the 2010 season. His career winning percentage (seventh) and career victories (ninth) rank among all active NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision quarterbacks. He became the winningest quarterback in Spartan history with Michigan State's dramatic 37-31 victory over No. 4 Wisconsin on Oct. 29.
- Cousins has connected on 70-of-116 third-down throws (.603) for 975 yards, with 46 of those completions resulting in first downs and 11 for touchdowns. Those marks on third down rank among the FBS leaders (third in yards, tied for fifth in touchdowns, 19th in passing efficiency). His 12 completions of 25-plus yards on third down are the most in the nation. Cousins is even more effective on fourth down, completing 7-of-10 passes for three touchdowns (tied for third in FBS).
- Fifth-year senior **B.J. Cunningham** is Michigan State's all-time leader in receptions (211) and receiving yards (3,020). His 211 receptions are seventh most in Big Ten history. He also is listed among the school's career leaders in TD receptions (second with 25) and 100-yard receiving games (third with 10). In addition, Cunningham ranks among all active NCAA FBS leaders in receiving yards (ninth), TD catches (11th) and receptions (13th).

- Over his last eight games, senior **Keshawn Martin** has posted a team-best 43 catches for 565 yards and 4 TDs while accounting for 899 all-purpose yards (112.4 ypg.).
- Cunningham (72 catches) and Martin (62 catches) have combined for 134 receptions in 2011, the most ever by a receiving duo in a Michigan State season (previous record: 124 by **Charles Rogers** [67] and **Herb Haygood** [57] in 2001). Cunningham (1,240 yards) and Martin (742 yards) are also just 4 yards away from producing the most receiving yards of any receiving duo in an MSU season. Cunningham and Martin have teamed up for 1,982 receiving yards in 2011; **Plaxico Burress** (1,142) and **Gari Scott** (843) had 1,985 receiving yards in 1998. Both of those marks (134 receptions; 1,982 receiving yards) rank first among receiving duos in the Big Ten this season.
- Left guard **Joel Foreman** made his 48th career start vs. Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship Game. *Foreman will tie Eric Gordon (linebacker, 2007-10) for the most starts in school history (49) in the Outback Bowl.* Foreman has also started more games than any offensive lineman in Spartan history (previous record: 44 starts by Shane Hannah, 1991-94, and Tony Mandarich, 1985-88).
- Michigan State tailbacks **Le'Veon Bell** and **Edwin Baker** have combined to rush for 1,555 yards (119.6 yards per game) and 16 touchdowns. Bell ranks ninth in the Big Ten in rushing (69.2 ypg.) and fifth in rushing TDs (11).
- The Spartans recorded 59 tackles for loss during Big Ten play, including a league-best 33 sacks. Michigan State's nine sacks at Ohio State tied a school record and also ranks tied for second in a single game this season in the NCAA FBS.
- Michigan State has recorded more than 400 yards of total offense in four of its last five games (402 vs. Minnesota; 443 vs. Iowa; 470 vs. Indiana; and 471 vs. Wisconsin in Big Ten Championship Game). Over the last five games, the Spartans are averaging 38.6 points and 433.2 total yards per game. In addition, Kirk Cousins has completed 93-of-138 throws (.674) for 1,323 yards (264.6 ypg.), 13 TDs and two interceptions during the five-game stretch.
- Michigan State has held six of its opponents below 100 yards rushing (22 yards by FAU, 21 by CMU, 35 by Ohio State, 82 by Michigan, 87 by Iowa and 94 by Indiana). In addition, the Spartans have allowed only 11 rushing touchdowns (tied for the 15th-fewest allowed in the NCAA FBS).
- The Spartan defense has allowed only five gains of 40-plus yards from scrimmage in 2011 – tied for the eighth-fewest surrendered by an NCAA FBS team. The Spartans have also allowed only 38 gains of 20-plus yards (tied for 14th in the FBS) and 15 of 30-plus yards (tied for 18th in the FBS).
- The Spartans have returned three interceptions (**Isaiah Lewis** vs. Central Michigan and Michigan; **Johnny Adams** vs. Indiana) and one fumble (**Jeremy Langford** vs. FAU) for scores this season. Lewis is one of 11 players in the NCAA FBS to return two interceptions for TDs this season.
- Junior cornerback **Johnny Adams** is tied for fifth in the Big Ten with three interceptions and leads the Big Ten and ranks fifth in the FBS with 141 interception return yards; that total also ranks third most in an MSU single-season. Adams, who leads all active Spartans with 25 passes defended in his career (eight interceptions, 17 pass break-ups), ranks fourth in MSU history with 219 interception return yards. His 86-yard interception return for a touchdown against Indiana was the fourth-longest in school history.
- Sophomore defensive end **William Gholston** led the Spartans in tackles in back-to-back games against Nebraska (15) and Minnesota (14). The 29 tackles were the most by a Spartan in a two-game span since 2009 (Greg Jones: 15 tackles vs. Montana State; 14 tackles vs. Central Michigan). It also marked the first time a Spartan defensive lineman has recorded double figures in tackles in back-to-back games since Josh Shaw in 2000 (10 tackles vs. Missouri, 10 vs. Notre Dame).
- Gholston's career-high 15 tackles at Nebraska matched a single-game high for a Spartan this season (Max Bullough 15 tackles vs. Youngstown State). Gholston became the first Spartan defensive lineman to reach double figures in tackles since **Jonal Saint-Dic** posted 10 stops against Northwestern in 2007, and it marked the highest single-game total by a Spartan defensive lineman since **Josh Shaw** produced 17 tackles against Wisconsin in 2000.
- MSU has won 14 straight games in Spartan Stadium - its longest home streak since winning 19 straight from 1950-53 (teams coached by Clarence "Biggie" Munn). The 14-game home winning streak is the fifth longest in school history (school-record 23-game home winning streak from 1903-07; teams coached by Chester Brewer); it's also the fourth-longest active home winning streak in the NCAA FBS (LSU - 17; Wisconsin - 16; Northern Illinois - 15: MSU - 14).

AROUND THE BIG TEN

2011 BIG TEN STANDINGS

	Conf. Games		All Games	
Legends Division				
Michigan State	*7-1*	*.875*	*10-3*	*.769*
Michigan	6-2	.750	10-2	.833
Nebraska	5-3	.625	9-3	.750
Iowa	4-4	.500	7-5	.583
Northwestern	3-5	.375	6-6	.500
Minnesota	2-6	.250	3-9	.250
Leaders Division				
Wisconsin	6-2	.750	11-2	.846
Penn State	6-2	.750	9-3	.750
Purdue	4-4	.500	6-6	.500
Ohio State	3-5	.375	6-6	.500
Illinois	2-6	.250	6-6	.500
Indiana	0-8	.000	1-11	.083

BIG TEN BOWL SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Dec. 27 - Little Caesars Bowl
Purdue vs. Western Michigan, 4:30 p.m. (ESPN)

Friday, Dec. 30 - Insight Bowl
Iowa vs. Oklahoma, 10 p.m. (ESPN)

Saturday, Dec. 31 - Texas Bowl
Northwestern vs. Texas A&M, 12 p.m. (ESPN)

Saturday, Dec. 31 - Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl
Illinois vs. UCLA, 3:30 p.m. (ESPN)

Monday, Jan. 2 - Ticket City Bowl
Penn State vs. Houston, 12 p.m. (ESPNU)

Monday, Jan. 2 - Outback Bowl
Michigan State vs. Georgia, 1 p.m. (ABC)

Monday, Jan. 2 - Gator Bowl
Ohio State vs. Florida, 1 p.m. (ESPN2)

Monday, Jan. 2 - Capital One Bowl
Nebraska vs. South Carolina, 1 p.m. (ESPN)

Monday, Jan. 2 - Rose Bowl
Wisconsin vs. Oregon, 5 p.m. (ABC)

Tuesday, Jan. 3 - Sugar Bowl
Michigan vs. Virginia Tech, 8:30 p.m. (ESPN)

- All times listed – Eastern.

SPARTAN FOOTBALL QUICK FACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION
Location: East Lansing, Mich.
Enrollment: 47,800
President: Dr. Lou Anna K. Simon
Conference: Big Ten (Legends Division)
Nickname: Spartans
Colors: Green and White
Stadium (Capacity): Spartan Stadium (75,005)
Surface: Natural Grass
Press Box Number: 517-353-0630
Athletics Director: Mark Hollis

FOOTBALL STAFF
Head Coach: Mark Dantonio (South Carolina, 1979)
Record at MSU: 43-22 (fifth year)
Career Record: 61-39 (eighth year)
Defensive Coordinator: Pat Narduzzi (Rhode Island, 1990)
Offensive Coordinator/Tight Ends: Dan Roushar (Northern Illinois, 1984)
Secondary: Harlon Barnett (Michigan State, 1990)
Defensive Line: Ted Gill (Idaho State, 1973)
Running Backs/Recruiting Coordinator: Brad Salem (Augustana College, 1992)
Wide Receivers: Terrence Samuel (Purdue, 1995)
Offensive Line: Mark Staten (Miami-Ohio, 2001)
Special Teams/Linebackers: Mike Tressel (Cornell [Iowa] College, 1996)
Quarterbacks: Dave Warner (Syracuse, 1982)
Director of Football Operations: Tim Allen (Bethel [Kansas] College, 1986)

FOOTBALL HISTORY
All-Time Record: 637-430-44 (.593)
2010 Record: 11-2 (7-1 Big Ten/t-1st)
First Season of Football: 1896
Bowl Games: 21 (7-14)
National Championships: 6 (1951, 1952, 1955, 1957, 1965, 1966)
Big Ten Championships: 7 (1953, 1965, 1966, 1978, 1987, 1990, 2010)

2011 SPARTAN OUTLOOK
Offense: Multiple
Defense: Multiple 4-3
Lettermen Lost: 19 (10 offense, 7 defense, 2 specialists)
Lettermen Returning: 47 (21 offense, 24 defense, 2 specialists)
Starters Lost: 12 (5 offense, 5 defense, 2 specialists)
Starters Returning: 15 (7 offense, 6 defense, 2 specialists)
Offensive Starters Lost (5): WR Mark Dell, LT D.J. Young, C John Stipek, RT J'Micheal Deane, TE Charlie Gantt.
Offensive Starters Returning (7): LG Joel Foreman, RG Chris McDonald, TE Brian Linthicum, WR Keith Nichol, WR B.J. Cunningham, QB Kirk Cousins, TB Edwin Baker.
Defensive Starters Lost (5): RE Colin Neely, LB Eric Gordon, LB Greg Jones, SS Marcus Hyde, BC Chris L. Rucker.
Defensive Starters Returning (6): LE Tyler Hoover, DT Jerel Worthy, NT Kevin Pickelman, LB Chris Norman, FC Johnny Adams, FS Trenton Robinson.
Starting Specialists Lost (2): P Aaron Bates, SN Alex Shackleton.
Starting Specialists Returning (2): PK Dan Conroy, KO Kevin Muma.

UPON FURTHER REVIEW –

- Michigan State went 7-0 at home in back-to-back seasons, marking the first consecutive perfect home seasons since 1955-56. The Spartans have gone undefeated at home 18 times (including ties in 1966, 1940, 1933, 1930) since the stadium opened in 1923.
- Michigan State fell just short of its earning its first trip to the Rose Bowl since 1988, losing to No. 15 Wisconsin, 42-39, in the inaugural Big Ten Championship Game in Indianapolis, Ind. With a 31-17 victory at Northwestern, the Spartans (7-1) won the Big Ten Legends Division title outright, finishing one game ahead of Michigan (6-2) in the final standings. MSU secured a spot in the Big Ten Championship Game thanks to its 55-3 win over Indiana on Senior Day coupled with Nebraska's 45-17 loss at Michigan.
- Over the last two seasons, Michigan State is 8-1 in games decided by 10 points or less, including 3-1 in 2011. The only loss came in a 42-39 defeat against Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship Game.
- With wins over Michigan and Wisconsin, Michigan State became the first team to defeat opponents with 6-0 or better overall records in consecutive Big Ten Conference games.
- Michigan State became the second team in Big Ten history to go 3-0 against Ohio State, Michigan and Wisconsin in a three-game span, joining Penn State, which accomplished the feat in 2008.
- With consecutive wins over No. 10 Michigan and No. 4 Wisconsin, Michigan State became just the third Big Ten team since 2002 to record back-to-back victories over Top 10 opponents, according to the USA TODAY Coaches Poll, joining Ohio State (2002) and Michigan (2003).
- Michigan State did not commit a penalty against Wisconsin. It marked the first time MSU wasn't flagged for a penalty in a game since Oct. 4, 1975, at Notre Dame.
- Michigan State has had four different starting combinations in 13 games on the offensive line this season, including three different starting centers (Blake Treadwell, Travis Jackson, Ethan Ruhland).

DANTONIO NOTES –

- A trademark of Mark Dantonio's Michigan State teams has been their ability to produce wins late in the regular season. *Under Dantonio, Michigan State has compiled a 13-3 record (.813) in November.* His teams have won seven-straight games in November (3-0 in 2010 and 4-0 in 2011). In the four seasons (2003-06) prior to Dantonio's arrival, Michigan State went just 2-11 (.154) in November.
- Dantonio owns the most wins (43) by a Spartan head coach in his first five seasons (**"Biggie" Munn** ranks second, with 36 wins from 1947-1951). Dantonio is currently 43-22 (.662) at MSU.
- Dantonio is the first head coach in MSU history to win at least nine games three times in his first five seasons (9 wins in 2008; school-record 11 wins in 2010; 10 wins in 2011).
- Dantonio has won at least nine games in a season three times (9 in 2008, 11 in 2010, 10 this season), tying him with the most seasons of at least nine wins of any coach in MSU history (**"Biggie" Munn**, 1951, 1952, 1953; **Duffy Daugherty**, 1955, 1965, 1966).
- With the win over Minnesota, Dantonio became just the sixth Spartan coach to win at least 40 games (**Chester Brewer**, **Charlie Bachman**, **"Biggie" Munn**, **Duffy Daugherty** and **George Perles**). In addition, Dantonio reached the 40-win mark in 61 games, which is the fourth fastest in MSU history (Brewer: 40 wins in his first 52 games from 1903-08; Bachman: 40 wins in his first 58 games from 1933 to 1939; Munn: 40 wins in his first 50 games from 1947-52).
- Dantonio, in his eighth year as a head coach, recorded his 60th career victory with the win over Indiana. His overall record is 61-39 (.610).

TEAM COMPARISONS –

	Michigan State	Georgia
Basic Offense	Multiple	Pro Style
Basic Defense	Multiple 4-3	3-4
Offensive Starters Returning	7	4
Defensive Starters Returning	6	7
Specialists Returning	2	2

AVERAGE HEIGHTS & WEIGHTS (STARTERS) –

	Michigan State	Georgia
Offensive Line & Tight End	6-5, 292	6-4, 315
Offensive Backs & Wide Receivers	6-2, 222	6-1, 215
Defensive Line	6-4, 289	6-3, 318
Linebackers	6-1, 231	6-3, 242
Defensive Backs	5-11, 187	6-0, 210

CLASS BREAKDOWN (STARTERS) –
Michigan State Offense: 6 seniors, 2 juniors, 2 sophomores, 1 freshman
Michigan State Defense: 1 senior, 4 juniors, 5 sophomores, 1 freshman
Georgia Offense: 4 seniors, 2 juniors, 3 sophomores, 2 freshmen
Georgia Defense: 1 senior, 7 juniors, 3 sophomores

STAT LEADERS –
Michigan State (after 13 games):
Rushing – Le'Veon Bell (165 carries for 900 yards, 5.5 avg., 11 TDs)
Passing – Kirk Cousins (240 of 369 for 3,016 yards, 24 TDs, 7 INTs)
Receiving – B.J. Cunningham (72 catches for 1,240 yards, 17.2 avg., 12 TDs)
Tackles – Max Bullough (86 tackles, 33 solos, 53 assists, 7 TFL, 3.5 sacks, 1 INT)

Georgia (after 13 games):
Rushing – Isaiah Crowell (182 carries for 847 yards, 4.7 avg., 5 TDs)
Passing – Aaron Murray (218 of 371 for 2,861 yards, 33 TDs, 12 INTs)
Receiving – Orson Charles (44 catches for 572 yards, 13.0 avg., 5 TDs)
Tackles – Jarvis Jones (69 tackles, 39 solos, 30 assists, 19.5 TFL, 13.5 sacks)

CURRENT SPARTANS IN POSTSEASON BOWL GAMES –
Career Stat Leaders
Rushing – Edwin Baker (2 games: 24 carries for 111 yards, 4.6 avg., 1 TD)
Passing – Kirk Cousins (3 games: 27 of 50 for 376 yards, 1 TD, 3 INTs)
Receiving – B.J. Cunningham (1 game: 6 catches for 52 yards, 8.7 avg., 0 TDs); Keshawn Martin (3 games: 6 catches for 127 yards, 21.2 avg., 1 TD)
Tackles – Trenton Robinson (3 games: 21 tackles, 10 solos, 11 assists)

STAT COMPARISON –

	Michigan State	Georgia
Scoring	30.8	32.2
First Downs	19.8	21.6
Total Offense	390.4	413.8
Rushing Yards	142.9	172.7
Passing Yards	247.5	241.2
Time of Possession	31:28	33:48
Third Down Conversions	.396	.435
Points Allowed	17.5	19.6
Total Offense Allowed	272.7	268.5
Rushing Yards Allowed	104.3	103.4
Passing Yards Allowed	168.4	165.1

THIS WEEK'S POLLS (DEC. 4)

ASSOCIATED PRESS

Rk.	School	Record
1.	LSU (60)	13-0
2.	Alabama	11-1
3.	Oklahoma State	11-1
4.	Stanford	11-1
5.	USC	10-2
6.	Oregon	11-2
7.	Arkansas	10-2
8.	Boise State	11-1
9.	**Wisconsin**	11-2
10.	South Carolina	10-2
11.	Kansas State	10-2
12.	**Michigan State**	10-3
13.	**Michigan**	10-2
14.	Clemson	10-3
15.	Baylor	9-3
16.	TCU	10-2
17.	Virginia Tech	11-2
18.	**Georgia**	10-3
19.	Oklahoma	9-3
20.	Houston	12-1
21.	**Nebraska**	9-3
22.	Southern Miss	11-2
23.	West Virginia	9-3
24.	Penn State	9-3
25.	Florida State	8-4

USA TODAY/COACHES

Rk.	School	Record
1.	LSU (59)	13-0
2.	Alabama	11-1
3.	Oklahoma State	11-1
4.	Stanford	11-1
5.	Oregon	11-2
6.	Boise State	11-1
7.	Arkansas	10-2
8.	**Wisconsin**	11-2
9.	South Carolina	10-2
10.	Kansas State	10-2
11.	Virginia Tech	11-2
12.	**Michigan**	10-2
13.	**Michigan State**	10-3
14.	Clemson	10-3
15.	TCU	10-2
16.	Baylor	9-3
17.	Houston	12-1
18.	**Georgia**	10-3
19.	Oklahoma	9-3
20.	**Nebraska**	9-3
21.	Southern Miss	11-2
22.	West Virginia	9-3
23.	Penn State	9-3
24.	Cincinnati	9-3
25.	Florida State	8-4

(First-place votes)
Bold indicates MSU opponent

2011 HONOR ROLL

MICHIGAN STATE TEAM AWARDS
- Tostitos Fiesta Bowl National Team of the Week (Oct. 15 vs. Michigan)

JOHNNY ADAMS (Jr., Cornerback)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (first team)
- Media All-Big Ten (second team)
- ESPN.com All-Big Ten (first team)

DENICOS ALLEN (So., Linebacker)
- CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (first team)
- Media All-Big Ten (second team)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- MSU Tommy Love Award (Most Improved Player)
- College Football Performance Awards' National Linebacker of the Week (Dec. 3 vs. Wisconsin)

TODD ANDERSON (Sr.-5, Fullback)
- MSU Tommy Love Award (Most Improved Player)

LE'VEON BELL (So., Running Back)
- CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (honorable mention)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- MSU Outstanding Underclass Back Award (Offense)

MAX BULLOUGH (So., Linebacker)
- CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (second team)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (second team)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- Academic All-Big Ten
- MSU Potsy Ross Award (Top Scholar-Athlete)

LARRY CAPER (Jr., Linebacker)
- Academic All-Big Ten

GARRETT CELEK (Sr.-5, Tight End)
- MSU Jim Adams Award (Unsung Hero)

DAN CONROY (Jr., Placekicker)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- Featured on the Preseason Watch List for the 2011 Groza Award, presented to the nation's top placekicker
- Listed on the College Football Performance Awards' 2011 Watch List for Placekicker Trophy

KIRK COUSINS (Sr.-5, Quarterback)
- SI.com All-American (honorable mention)
- One of 10 finalists for Manning Award
- One of 16 semifinalists for Davey O'Brien National Quarterback Award
- One of 10 finalists for Lowe's Senior CLASS Award
- One of 13 finalists for Wuerffel Trophy (player who best combines exemplary community service with outstanding academic and athletic achievement)
- Named to National Football Foundation National Scholar-Athlete Class ($18,000 postgraduate scholarship)
- One of 16 finalists for NFF William V. Campbell Trophy (nation's absolute best scholar-athlete)
- One of three finalists for Chicago Tribune Silver Football (Big Ten MVP)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (second team)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- Academic All-Big Ten
- Big Ten Sportsmanship Award (MSU recipient)
- MSU Downtown Coaches Club Award – Outstanding Senior Offense
- MSU Clarence J. Underwood Jr. Sportsmanship Award

SPARTAN BOWL HISTORY –
The Spartans are bowl eligible for a school-record fifth consecutive year (2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl). **Mark Dantonio** also becomes the first coach in Michigan State history to earn a postseason bowl bid in each of his first five seasons.

Michigan State is making its 22nd postseason bowl appearance overall, including its first-ever trip to the Outback Bowl. The Spartans are 7-14 (.333) in bowl games, including a 0-2 record against Georgia (lost 34-27 in 1989 Gator Bowl; and 24-12 in 2009 Capital One Bowl). It marks MSU's seventh appearance in a Florida-based bowl (1938 Orange, 1989 Gator, 2000 Florida Citrus, 2007 Champs Sports, 2009 Capital One and 2011 Capital One). The Spartans have lost their last five postseason games, with MSU's last bowl victory coming against Fresno State, 44-35, in the 2001 Silicon Valley Football Classic.

Eight of Michigan State's last nine bowl opponents have been ranked in The Associated Press Top 25, including No. 18 Georgia in the 2012 Outback Bowl, No. 15 Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl, No. 16 Georgia in the 2009 Capital One Bowl, No. 14 Boston College in the 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, No. 22 Nebraska in the 2003 Alamo Bowl, No. 20 Fresno State in the 2001 Silicon Valley Football Classic, No. 10 Florida in the 2000 Florida Citrus Bowl and No. 21 Washington in the 1997 Aloha Bowl.

Here's how Michigan State has fared in its 21 previous bowl games (**MSU wins in bold type**):

Date (Coach)	Bowl	Result
Jan. 1, 1938 (Charles Bachman)	Orange	Auburn 6, MSU 0
Jan. 1, 1954 (Biggie Munn)	**Rose**	**MSU 28, UCLA 20**
Jan. 2, 1956 (Duffy Daugherty)	**Rose**	**MSU 17, UCLA 14**
Jan. 1, 1966 (Duffy Daugherty)	Rose	UCLA 14, MSU 12
Dec. 22, 1984 (George Perles)	Cherry	Army 10, MSU 6
Dec. 31, 1985 (George Perles)	All-American	Georgia Tech 17, MSU 14
Jan. 1, 1988 (George Perles)	**Rose**	**MSU 20, USC 17**
Jan. 1, 1989 (George Perles)	Gator	Georgia 34, MSU 27
Dec. 25, 1989 (George Perles)	**Aloha**	**MSU 33, Hawaii 13**
Dec. 31, 1990 (George Perles)	**Sun**	**MSU 17, USC 16**
Dec. 28, 1993 (George Perles)	Liberty	Louisville 18, MSU 7
Dec. 29, 1995 (Nick Saban)	Independence	LSU 45, MSU 26
Dec. 31, 1996 (Nick Saban)	Sun	Stanford 38, MSU 0
Dec. 25, 1997 (Nick Saban)	Aloha	Washington 51, MSU 23
Jan. 1, 2000 (Bobby Williams)	**Florida Citrus**	**MSU 37, Florida 34**
Dec. 31, 2001 (Bobby Williams)	**Silicon Valley**	**MSU 44, Fresno State 35**
Dec. 29, 2003 (John L. Smith)	Alamo	Nebraska 17, MSU 3
Dec. 28, 2007 (Mark Dantonio)	Champs Sports	Boston College 24, MSU 21
Jan. 1, 2009 (Mark Dantonio)	Capital One	Georgia 24, MSU 12
Jan. 2, 2010 (Mark Dantonio)	Alamo	Texas Tech 41, MSU 31
Jan. 1, 2011 (Mark Dantonio)	Capital One	Alabama 49, MSU 7

MSU/GEORGIA COACHING CONNECTIONS –

- Georgia defensive coordinator **Todd Grantham** spent three seasons as the defensive line coach (1996-98) at Michigan State under former Spartan head coach Nick Saban. Grantham, who also worked with then-secondary coach Mark Dantonio from 1996-98, was promoted to Assistant Head Coach in 1998.
- MSU wide receivers coach **Terrence Samuel** and Georgia inside linebackers coach **Kirk Olivadotti** both lettered as wide receivers at Purdue. Samuel was a four-year letterwinner for the Boilermakers from 1991-94, while Olivadotti lettered from 1993-96.

SPARTAN BOWL RECAPS vs. GEORGIA –

The 2012 Outback Bowl marks just the third meeting between Michigan State and Georgia. The Bulldogs lead the all-time series 2-0, including a 34-27 victory in the 1989 Gator Bowl and 24-12 win in the 2009 Capital One Bowl.

Jan. 1, 1989 | *Gator Bowl:* Wayne Johnson threw three touchdown passes and Rodney Hampton scored three times to lead Georgia to a 34-27 win over Michigan State in the 1989 Gator Bowl. Georgia head coach Vince Dooley went out a winner in his final game in 25 seasons. The loss ended MSU's six-game winning streak. The Bulldogs jumped out to a 17-0 lead on Johnson's 6-yard TD toss to Hampton, Steve Crumley's 39-yard field goal and Johnson's 30-yard TD strike to Hampton. The Spartans got on the scoreboard late in the first half as Bobby McAllister finished off a 10-play, 80-yard drive with a 4-yard TD pass to Andre Rison. Midway through the third quarter, Georgia put together a six-play, 64-yard drive to extend its lead to 24-7 on Kirk Warner's 18-yard TD catch from Johnson. MSU responded with an eight-play, 78-yard scoring drive as McAllister hit Rison with a 55-yard bomb. A 36-yard field goal by Crumley gave the Bulldogs a 27-13 advantage with 2:16 left in the third quarter. McAllister's 51-yard completion to Rison set up Blake Ezor's 3-yard TD run early in the fourth quarter as the Spartans pulled to within 27-20. Hampton's third TD, a 32-yard run, gave Georgia a 34-20 lead with 11:58 remaining. Rison scored on a 50-yard pass from McAllister late in the fourth quarter, but the Spartans' rally fell short as Georgia controlled the clock for the final 3:42 of the game. The two teams combined for 855 total yards with the Spartans outgaining the Bulldogs, 446-409. Rison caught nine passes for 252 yards and three scores. McAllister hit 14-of-24 throws for 288 yards and three TDs while Ezor led all rushers with 146 yards on 33 attempts.

Jan. 1, 2009 | *Capital One Bowl:* Matthew Stafford completed 20-of-31 throws for 250 yards and three touchdowns to lead No. 16 Georgia to a 24-12 victory over No. 19 Michigan State in the 2009 Capital One Bowl. Michigan State took the opening kickoff and drove the ball to the Georgia 39-yard line, but Dwayne Holmes was stopped short of a first down on a fake punt. The Bulldogs responded with an eight-play, 48-yard drive of their own and took a 3-0 lead on Blair Walsh's 32-yard field goal with 9:26 left in the first quarter. Georgia's second possession resulted in a turnover, as Kendell Davis-Clark returned his first career interception 24 yards to set up Brett Swenson's 20-yard field goal that tied the score at 3 with 4:50 to play in the opening quarter. The Spartans forced two turnovers in the first quarter but managed to produce only a field goal. Late in the first half, another Georgia miscue – a mishandled snap by punter Brian Mimbs – gave the Spartans great field position at the UGA 40. However, Michigan State had to settle for a 32-yard field goal from Swenson and a 6-3 halftime lead after Brian Hoyer was sacked by Jarius Wynn for a 5-yard loss on a third-and-6 play from the Bulldog 10. Georgia's offense came to life in the second half, as Stafford connected on 14-of-17 passes for 179 yards and three scores. Stafford capped off a 10-play, 96-yard drive with a 35-yard TD strike to Michael Moore as the Bulldogs took the lead for good at 10-6 with 3:31 remaining in the third quarter. Prince Miller's 38-yard punt return plus a 15-yard personal-foul penalty set up Stafford's second scoring pass, a 21-yarder to Aaron White with 0:09 to play in the third quarter to build a 17-6 advantage. Early in the fourth quarter, Michigan State pulled to within 17-12 as Javon Ringer finished off a 10-play, 54-yard drive with a 1-yard plunge for his school-record 22nd TD run of the season. Georgia answered with an 11-play, 67-yard drive and iced the game on Stafford's 21-yard TD toss to Knowshon Moreno, who made the grab over Greg Jones at the front corner of the end zone. The Bulldog defense held Michigan State to a season-low 236 total yards, including just 31 yards on 34 rushing attempts.

2011 HONOR ROLL

KIRK COUSINS (continued)
- MSU Captain's Award
- Big Ten Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 22 vs. Wisconsin)
- Featured on the Preseason Watch List for the 2011 Walter Camp Player of the Year Award
- The Ultimate Herbie Award recipient (ESPN's 2011 Herbie Awards)
- Ranked among the nation's "most influential players" by CBSSports.com (No. 80)

B.J. CUNNINGHAM (Sr.-5, Wide Receiver)
- Phil Steele All-American (fourth team)
- SI.com All-American (honorable mention)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (second team)
- Media All-Big Ten (second team)
- ESPN.com All-Big Ten (first team)
- MSU Governor's Award (Most Valuable Player)
- MSU Downtown Coaches Club Award – Outstanding Senior Offense
- College Football Performance Awards' National Wide Receiver of the Week (Dec. 3 vs. Wisconsin)
- Featured on the Preseason Watch List for the 2011 Biletnikoff Award, presented to the nation's outstanding wide receiver

DARQUEZE DENNARD (So., Cornerback)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)

JOHN DEYO (Jr., Offensive Guard)
- Academic All-Big Ten

KYLER ELSWORTH (So., Linebacker)
- Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week (Oct. 22 vs. Wisconsin)

JOEL FOREMAN (Sr.-5, Offensive Guard)
- Yahoo! Sports All-American (second team)
- Phil Steele All-American (third team)
- SI.com All-American (honorable mention)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (first team)
- Media All-Big Ten (first team)
- ESPN.com All-Big Ten (first team)
- Academic All-Big Ten
- MSU Up Front Award (Outstanding Offensive Lineman)
- MSU Captain's Award
- Featured on Preseason Watch Lists for the Lombardi Award (college lineman of the year) and the Outland Trophy (nation's best interior lineman)

JEREMY GAINER (So., Defensive End)
- Academic All-Big Ten

WILLIAM GHOLSTON (So., Defensive End)
- CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (second team).
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (second team).
- Media All-Big Ten (second team).
- MSU Danziger Award (Outstanding Detroit-Area Player)

TRAVIS JACKSON (R-Fr., Center)
- Phil Steele All-Freshman Team (first team)
- CollegeFootballNews.com Freshman All-American (second team)
- ESPN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team
- BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team
- Academic All-Big Ten

NATE KLATT (So., Offensive Guard)
- Academic All-Big Ten
- MSU Potsy Ross Award (Top Scholar-Athlete)

2011 HONOR ROLL

ISAIAH LEWIS (So., Safety)
- CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (second team)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (second team)
- Media All-Big Ten (second team)
- Phil Steele Midseason All-American (honorable mention).
- MSU Outstanding Underclass Back Award (Defense)

BRIAN LINTHICUM (Sr.-5, Tight End)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (second team)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- MSU Football Players Association's Community Service & Outreach Award
- John Mackey Tight End of the Week (Nov. 12 vs. Iowa)
- College Football Performance Awards' National Tight End of the Week (Nov. 12 vs. Iowa)
- Featured on the Preseason Watch List for the 2011 John Mackey Award, presented to the nation's top tight end

KESHAWN MARTIN (Sr., Wide Receiver/Kick Returner)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- MSU Downtown Coaches Club Award – Outstanding Senior Special Teams
- MSU Danziger Award (Outstanding Detroit-Area Player)
- Paul Hornung Award Weekly Honor Roll (Week 12: Nov. 19 vs. Indiana)
- Featured on the Watch List for the Paul Hornung Award, presented to college football's most versatile player

ANDREW MAXWELL (So., Quarterback)
- Academic All-Big Ten
- MSU Potsy Ross Award (Top Scholar-Athlete)

CHRIS MCDONALD (Jr., Offensive Guard)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- MSU Outstanding Underclass Lineman Award (Offense)

KEITH NICHOL (Sr.-5, Wide Receiver)
- Academic All-Big Ten
- MSU President's Award – Perseverance (Senior Back)

CHRIS NORMAN (Jr., Linebacker)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- MSU Jim Adams Award (Unsung Hero)

KEVIN PICKELMAN (Sr.-5, Nose Tackle)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- MSU President's Award – Perseverance (Senior Lineman)
- MSU Iron Man Award (Strength & Conditioning)

ARTHUR RAY JR. (Sr., Offensive Guard)
- Named recipient of Discover Orange Bowl/FWAA Courage Award
- MSU "Biggie" Munn Award (Most Inspirational Player)

TRENTON ROBINSON (Sr., Safety)
- Media All-Big Ten (first team)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- ESPN.com All-Big Ten (first team)
- MSU Downtown Coaches Club Award – Outstanding Senior Defense
- MSU Clarence J. Underwood Jr. Sportsmanship Award
- MSU Captain's Award

DANTONIO NO STRANGER TO POSTSEASON PLAY –

Mark Dantonio is making his 20th appearance in postseason play (as a graduate assistant, assistant coach or head coach), including four NCAA I-AA playoff and 16 bowl games. Dantonio has compiled a 6-9 record (.400) in bowl games.

Dantonio becomes the first coach in Michigan State history to earn a postseason bowl bid in each of his first five seasons.

Here are the results of Dantonio's 15 previous postseason bowl appearances:

Season	Bowl	Opponent (Result)
Ohio State – graduate assistant (1-1)		
1983	Fiesta	Pittsburgh (W, 28-23)
1984	Rose	USC (L, 17-20)
Kansas – defensive secondary coach (1-0)		
1992	Aloha	BYU (W, 23-20)
Michigan State – defensive secondary coach (1-3)		
1995	Independence	LSU (L, 26-45)
1996	Sun	Stanford (L, 0-38)
1997	Aloha	Washington (L 23-51)
1999	Florida Citrus	Florida (W, 37-34)
Ohio State – defensive coordinator (2-1)		
2001	Outback	South Carolina (L, 28-31)
2002*	Fiesta	Miami-Fla. (2OT: W, 31-24)
2003	Fiesta	Kansas State (W, 35-28)
* National Champions		
Cincinnati – head coach (1-0)		
2004	Fort Worth	Marshall (W, 32-14)
Michigan State – head coach (0-4)		
2007	Champs Sports	Boston College (L, 21-24)
2009	Capital One	Georgia (L, 12-24)
2010	Alamo	Texas Tech (L, 31-41)
2011	Capital One	Alabama (L, 7-49)

SPARTANS vs. SEC TEAMS –

Michigan State has compiled a 5-8-1 record (.393) against current members of the Southeastern Conference (0-1 vs. Alabama, 0-1 vs. Auburn, 1-0 vs. Florida, 0-2 vs. Georgia, 2-2 vs. Kentucky, 0-1 vs. LSU and 2-1-1 vs. Mississippi State). The Spartans are 1-5 in postseason bowl games against SEC teams.

Here's a closer look at Michigan State's six previous postseason bowl games vs. SEC teams:

Date	Opponent	MSU Result	Site (Bowl)
Jan. 1, 1938	Auburn	L, 0-6	Miami, Fla. (Orange)
Jan. 1, 1989	Georgia	L, 27-34	Jacksonville, Fla. (Gator)
Dec. 29, 1995	LSU	L, 26-45	Shreveport, La. (Independence)
Jan. 1, 2000	Florida	W, 37-34	Orlando, Fla. (Florida Citrus)
Jan. 1, 2009	Georgia	L, 12-24	Orlando, Fla. (Capital One)
Jan. 1, 2011	Alabama	L, 7-49	Orlando, Fla. (Capital One)

SPARTANS TOUGH IN NON-CONFERENCE GAMES –
Michigan State has compiled a 39-16 record (.709) in games played against non-conference opponents since 1999. **Mark Dantonio** is 16-8 (.667) against non-conference opponents, including a 14-1 record (.933) in Spartan Stadium. Overall, the Spartans have won 22 of their last 31 non-league games (.710). Here's a look at Michigan State's non-conference results under Dantonio (since 2007):

Date	Opponent	MSU Result	Site
Sept. 24, 2011	Central Michigan	W, 45-7	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 17, 2011	Notre Dame	L, 13-31	South Bend, Ind.
Sept. 10, 2011	Florida Atlantic	W, 44-0	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 2, 2011	Youngstown State	W, 28-6	Spartan Stadium
Jan. 1, 2011	Alabama	L, 7-49	Orlando, Fla.
Sept. 25, 2010	Northern Colorado	W, 45-7	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 18, 2010	Notre Dame	W, 34-31 (OT)	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 11, 2010	Florida Atlantic	W, 30-17	Detroit, Mich.
Sept. 4, 2010	Western Michigan	W, 38-14	Spartan Stadium
Jan. 2, 2010	Texas Tech	L, 31-41	San Antonio, Texas
Nov. 7, 2009	Western Michigan	W, 49-14	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 19, 2009	Notre Dame	L, 30-33	South Bend, Ind.
Sept. 12, 2009	Central Michigan	L, 27-29	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 5, 2009	Montana State	W, 44-3	Spartan Stadium
Jan. 1, 2009	Georgia	L, 12-24	Orlando, Fla.
Sept. 20, 2008	Notre Dame	W, 23-7	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 13, 2008	Florida Atlantic	W, 17-0	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 6, 2008	Eastern Michigan	W, 42-10	Spartan Stadium
Aug. 30, 2008	California	L, 31-38	Berkeley, Calif.
Dec. 28, 2007	Boston College	L, 21-24	Orlando, Fla.
Sept. 22, 2007	Notre Dame	W, 31-14	South Bend, Ind.
Sept. 15, 2007	Pittsburgh	W, 17-13	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 8, 2007	Bowling Green	W, 28-17	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 1, 2007	UAB	W, 55-18	Spartan Stadium

UPSET SPECIALS –
Michigan State is 22-33 (.400) in its last 55 games against teams ranked in The Associated Press Top 25. The Spartans have won four of their last eight games played against AP Top 25 teams (2010-11), including a 2-2 record in 2011 (with wins over No. 11 Michigan on Oct. 15 and No. 4 Wisconsin on Oct. 22, and losses at No. 13 Nebraska on Oct. 29 and vs. No. 15 Wisconsin on Dec. 3). Eighteen of those 22 wins over ranked teams have come while Michigan State was unranked or ranked below its opponent. Eleven of the last 24 games against AP Top 25 teams have been decided by nine points or less.

For the second year in a row, Michigan State defeated ranked opponents on back-to-back Saturdays (28-14 over No. 11 Michigan and 37-31 over No. 4 Wisconsin). In 2010, MSU knocked off No. 11 Wisconsin and No. 18 Michigan on consecutive weekends. The Spartans have defeated three ranked opponents in one season six times in program history (last time: 2001).

Under head coach **Mark Dantonio**, Michigan State has defeated seven ranked opponents: No. 11 (AP)/No. 10 (USA TODAY) Michigan and No. 4 (AP/USA TODAY) Wisconsin in 2011; No. 11 (AP)/No. 9 (USA TODAY) Wisconsin and No. 18 (AP)/No. 17 (USA TODAY) Michigan in 2010; No. 22 (AP) Michigan in 2009; No. 22 (USA TODAY) Northwestern in 2008; and No. 22 (USA TODAY) Penn State in 2007.

Since 1998, Michigan State is 9-8 (.529) against teams ranked in the AP Top 10, including a 6-3 record (.667) in games played in Spartan Stadium. (Note: For a complete list of all-time results against ranked opponents, please refer to pages 132-134 in the 2011 MSU Football Media Guide.)

2011 HONOR ROLL

TRENTON ROBINSON (continued)
- Featured on the Preseason Watch List for the Jim Thorpe Award, presented to nation's best defensive back

CHRIS D. RUCKER (Sr.-5, Wide Receiver)
- MSU Doug Weaver Oil Can Award (Team Humorist)

ETHAN RUHLAND (Jr., Center)
- Academic All-Big Ten

MARCUS RUSH (R-Fr., Defensive End)
- Sporting News Freshman All-American (first team)
- Yahoo! Sports Freshman All-American (second team)
- CollegeFootballNews.com Freshman All-American (second team)
- Phil Steele All-Freshman Team (second team)
- Media All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (honorable mention)
- ESPN.com Big Ten Freshman Defensive MVP
- ESPN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team
- BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team
- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (Oct. 1 vs. Ohio State)

MIKE SADLER (R-Fr., Punter)
- Capital One Academic All-American (second team)
- Phil Steele All-Freshman Team (third team)
- CollegeFootballNews.com Freshman All-American (honorable mention)
- ESPN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team
- BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team
- Academic All-Big Ten
- MSU Potsy Ross Award (Top Scholar-Athlete)
- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (Nov. 12 vs. Iowa)
- Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week (Nov. 5 vs. Minnesota)
- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (Oct. 15 vs. Michigan)

BRAD SONNTAG (Sr.-5, Wide Receiver)
- Academic All-Big Ten

JEREL WORTHY (Jr., Defensive Tackle)
- Associated Press All-American (first team)
- Walter Camp All-American (first team)
- American Football Coaches Association All-American (first team)
- Sporting News All-American (first team)
- Yahoo! Sports All-American (first team)
- CBSSports.com All-American (first team)
- NBCSports.com All-American (first team)
- SI.com All-American (second team).
- Phil Steele All-American (second team)
- Coaches' All-Big Ten (first team)
- Media All-Big Ten (first team)
- ESPN.com All-Big Ten (first team)
- MSU Outstanding Underclass Lineman Award (Defense)
- One of 16 semifinalists for Chuck Bednarik Award (defensive player of the year).
- One of 12 semifinalists for Lomardi Award (college lineman of the year).
- One of 20 quarterfinalists for the Lott IMPACT Trophy (Defensive IMPACT Player of the Year).
- Named to Preseason Watch Lists for the Bednarik, Lombardi and Nagurski Awards as well as the Outland Trophy.
- Featured on College Football Performance Awards Watch List for the Defensive Lineman of the Year Trophy.

PAT NARDUZZI (Defensive Coordinator)
- Rivals.com National Coordinator of the Week (Oct. 15 vs. Michigan).

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CAREER RECORDS

RUSHING ATTEMPTS

1.	Lorenzo White (1984-87)	1,082
2.	Javon Ringer (2005-08)	843
3.	Tico Duckett (1989-92)	836
4.	Blake Ezor (1986-89)	800
5.	Sedrick Irvin (1996-98)	755
6.	Duane Goulbourne (1992-94, 1996)	627
7.	T.J. Duckett (1999-2001)	621
8.	Jehuu Caulcrick (2004-07)	532
9.	Steve Smith (1977-80)	524
10.	Eric Allen (1969-71)	521
11.	Rich Baes (1973-76)	507
12.	Levi Jackson (1973-76)	474
13.	*Edwin Baker (2009-11)*	*456*

RUSHING YARDS

1.	Lorenzo White (1984-87)	4,887
2.	Javon Ringer (2005-08)	4,398
3.	Tico Duckett (1989-92)	4,212
4.	Blake Ezor (1986-89)	3,749
5.	Sedrick Irvin (1996-98)	3,504
6.	T.J. Duckett (1999-2001)	3,379
7.	Duane Goulbourne (1992-94, 1996)	2,848
8.	Steve Smith (1977-80)	2,676
9.	Eric Allen (1969-71)	2,654
10.	Jehuu Caulcrick (2004-07)	2,395
11.	Marc Renaud (1994-95, 1997)	2,331
12.	Levi Jackson (1973-76)	2,287
13.	*Edwin Baker (2009-11)*	*2,283*

RUSHING AVERAGE

1.	George Guerre (1946-48)	6.75
2.	Lynn Chandnois (1946-49)	6.55
3.	Sherman Lewis (1961-63)	6.21
4.	Sonny Grandelius (1948-50)	6.09
5.	Derek Hughes (1978-81)	6.04
6.	Jim Earley (1974-77)	5.78
7.	Walt Kowalczyk (1955-57)	5.59
8.	LeRoy Bolden (1951-54)	5.56
9.	*Le'Veon Bell (2010-11)*	*5.53*
10.	Dick Panin (1950-52)	5.45

PASSING ATTEMPTS

1.	Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	1,150
2.	*Kirk Cousins (2008-11)*	*1,078*

PASS COMPLETIONS

1.	*Kirk Cousins (2008-11)*	*696*
2.	Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	685

PASS COMPLETION PERCENTAGE

1.	*Kirk Cousins (696-1,078; 2008-11)*	*.646*
2.	Drew Stanton (543-846; 2003-06)	.642
3.	Jim Miller (467-746; 1990-93)	.626
4.	Dan Enos (297-478; 1987-90)	.621
5.	Todd Schultz (360-593; 1994-97)	.607

PASSING YARDS

1.	Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	8,932
2.	*Kirk Cousins (2008-11)*	*8,831*

PASSING YARDS PER GAME

1.	Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	217.9
2.	Tony Banks (1994-95)	206.4
3.	*Kirk Cousins (2008-11)*	*200.7*

SPARTANS FROM THE SUNSHINE STATE –

Michigan State's 2011-12 postseason roster features three players from Florida: freshman wide receiver **Juwan Caesar** (Miami/Miami Coral Park Senior High School), sophomore defensive end **Denzel Drone** (Plant City/Plant City High School) and sophomore safety **Jairus Jones** (Tampa/Wharton).

SPARTANS FROM THE SUNSHINE STATE, PART II –

In 115 seasons, Florida has provided the Michigan State football program with 64 letterwinners, including four first-team All-Americans: cornerback **James Burroughs** (Pahokee, 1977-81), place-kicker **Paul Edinger** (Lakeland, 1996-99), wide receiver/kick returner **Herb Haygood** (Sarasota, 1998-2001) and running back **Lorenzo White** (Fort Lauderdale, 1984-87).

Other notable Floridians who have worn the Spartan football uniform include: cornerback **Amp Campbell** (Sarasota, 1996-99), running back **Sedrick Irvin** (Miami, 1996-98), linebacker **Carlos Jenkins** (Boynton Beach, 1987-90), quarterback **Bobby McAllister** (Pompano Beach, 1985-88), wide receiver **Gari Scott** (Lake Park, 1996-99), defensive tackle **Josh Shaw** (Fort Lauderdale, 1998-2001), placekicker **Brett Swenson** (Pompano Beach, 2006-09), cornerback **Jeremy Ware** (Fort Myers, 2008-09) and safety **Thomas Wright** (Lake Wales, 1999-2002).

MSU/TAMPA CONNECTIONS –

- Outback Bowl CEO **Jim McVay's** father John was an assistant coach on Duffy Daugherty's staff in the early 1960s and Sales Director **Jerry Kulig** is a MSU graduate. **John McVay** spent three years (1962-64) as Michigan State's assistant backfield coach.
- Tampa Bay Lightning forward **Adam Hall** was a four-year letterman (1999-2002) for legendary Michigan State head coach **Ron Mason**. Hall helped lead the Spartans to two Central Collegiate Hockey Association regular-season championships (1999 and 2001), two CCHA Tournament titles (2000 and 2001) and four NCAA Tournament appearances, including two trips to the Frozen Four (1999 and 2001). The Kalamazoo, Mich., native accounted for 30-plus points in each of his last three seasons. His Spartan career totals include: 159 games, 79 goals, 47 assists and 126 points. A 10-year NHL veteran, Hall is in his third season with the Lightning.

SPARTANS FROM THE PEACH STATE –

Michigan State's 2011-12 postseason roster features three players from Georgia: sophomore cornerback **Darqueze Dennard** (Dry Branch/Twiggs County High School), sophomore wide receiver **Keith Mumphery** (Vienna/Dooly County) and freshman wide receiver **Andre Sims Jr.** (Snellville/Brookwood),

WINNINGEST SENIOR CLASS IN MSU HISTORY –

The 2011 senior class has helped Michigan State to a record of 36-16 (.692) since 2008, including four-straight bowl bids (2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl and 2012 Outback Bowl). *The 36 wins are the most by any senior class in the 115-year history of Michigan State football (previous record: 33 wins by 2010 class).* The 2011 class is also the first to defeat Michigan four-straight years since 1959-62 and finished with a home record of 24-4 (.857).

The Class of 2011 includes fullback **Todd Anderson** (Napoleon, Mich.), tight end **Garrett Celek** (Cincinnati, Ohio), quarterback **Kirk Cousins** (Holland, Mich.), wide receiver **B.J. Cunningham** (Westerville, Ohio), offensive guard **Joel Foreman** (Highland, Mich.), tight end **Brian Linthicum** (St. Louis, Mo.), wide receiver **Keshawn Martin** (Inkster, Mich.), offensive lineman **Jared McGaha** (Powell, Tenn.), wide receiver **Keith Nichol** (Lowell, Mich.), defensive tackle **Blake Pacheco** (Salinas, Calif.), nose tackle **Kevin Pickelman** (Marshall, Mich.), free safety **Trenton Robinson** (Bay City, Mich.), wide receiver **Chris D. Rucker** (Detroit, Mich.), punter **Kyle Selden** (Waterford, Mich.), fullback **Adam Setterbo** (Spring Lake, Mich.), wide receiver **Brad Sonntag** (Saginaw, Mich.) and defensive lineman **Johnathan Strayhorn** (Detroit, Mich.). Those 17 seniors were recognized during a pregame ceremony before the final home game against Indiana.

Winningest Senior Classes in MSU Football History (based on total wins)

Rank	Senior Class (Years)	Four-Year Record (Winning Pct.)
1.	*2011 (2008-11)*	*36-16 (.692)*
2.	2010 (2007-10)	33-19 (.635)
3.	1990 (1987-90)	31-14-3 (.677)
4.	1955 (1952-55)	30-8 (.789)
	1954 (1951-54)	30-7 (.811)
	1906 (1903-06)	30-6-3 (.808)

BIG TEN/NCAA STAT LEADERS –

Here's a glance at how Michigan State ranks among the Big Ten and NCAA stat leaders in 2011:

Category	Stat Avg.	Big Ten	NCAA
Rushing Offense	142.9	11th	76th
Passing Offense	247.5	2nd	44th
Total Offense	390.4	5th	60th
Scoring Offense	30.8	3rd	39th
Rushing Defense	104.3	1st	12th
Passing Defense	168.4	4th	11th
Total Defense	272.7	1st	5th
Scoring Defense	17.5	4th	9th
Passing Efficiency	149.7	3rd	22nd
Pass Efficiency Defense	110.4	2nd	10th
Turnover Margin	+0.54	2nd	22nd
Net Punting	35.3	8th	86th
Punt Returns	11.2	3rd	24th
Kickoff Returns	24.3	4th	14th

NCAA STAT LEADERS –

Here's a glance at how Michigan State ranks among the NCAA individual stat leaders in 2011:

Individual Statistics (Top 50)

Passing Efficiency: Kirk Cousins (16th with 151.4 rating)

Receiving Yards: B.J. Cunningham (17th at 95.4 receiving yards per game)

Punt Returns: Keshawn Martin (15th at 11.8 yards per return)

Kickoff Returns: Nick Hill (25th at 26.1 yards per return)

Sacks: Denicos Allen (16th at 0.8 sacks per game)

Tackles for Loss: Denicos Allen (t-24th at 1.3 tackles for loss per game)

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CAREER RECORDS

TOUCHDOWN PASSES

1.	*Kirk Cousins (2008-11)*	*65*
2.	Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	61

PASSING EFFICIENCY RATING

1.	*Kirk Cousins (2008-11)*	*148.3*
2.	Gene Glick (1946-49)	142.3
3.	Earl Morrall (1953-55)	140.5
4.	Drew Stanton (2003-06)	138.7
5.	Jim Ninowski (1955-57)	136.0

200-YARD PASSING GAMES

1.	*Kirk Cousins (2008-11)*	*25*
2.	Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	23

RECEPTIONS

1.	*B.J. Cunningham (2008-11)*	*211*
2.	Matt Trannon (2003-06)	148
3.	Andre Rison (1985-88)	146

RECEIVING YARDS

1.	*B.J. Cunningham (2008-11)*	*3,020*
2.	Andre Rison (1985-88)	2,992

TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS

1.	Charles Rogers (2001-02)	27
2.	*B.J. Cunningham (2008-11)*	*25*

TOTAL OFFENSE

1.	Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	8,714
2.	*Kirk Cousins (2008-11)*	*8,681*

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

1.	Javon Ringer (2005-08)	5,426
2.	Lorenzo White (1984-87)	5,152
3.	Derrick Mason (1993-96)	5,114
4.	Sedrick Irvin (1996-98)	4,833
5.	Tico Duckett (1989-92)	4,511
6.	Blake Ezor (1986-89)	4,479
7.	Eric Allen (1969-71)	4,446
8.	Courtney Hawkins (1988-91)	4,125
9.	Steve Smith (1977-80)	4,065
10.	Gari Scott (1996-99)	3,971
11.	*Keshawn Martin (2008-11)*	*3,968*

KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

1.	Derrick Mason (1993-96)	2,575
2.	Herb Haygood (1998-2001)	1,770
3.	DeAndra Cobb (2003-04)	1,632
4.	Courtney Hawkins (1988-91)	1,571
5.	Eric Allen (1969-71)	1,340
6.	Devin Thomas (2006-07)	1,135
7.	Demond Williams (2005-06)	1,121
8.	*Keshawn Martin (2008-11)*	*1,085*

PUNT RETURN YARDS

1.	Gari Scott (1996-99)	1,088
2.	*Keshawn Martin (2008-11)*	*656*

INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS

1.	Lynn Chandnois (1946-49)	410
2.	Brad Van Pelt (1970-72)	268
3.	Phil Parker (1982-85)	267
4.	*Johnny Adams (2008, '10-11)*	*219*

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SEASON RECORDS

PASS ATTEMPTS

1.	Jeff Smoker (2003)	488
2.	Brian Hoyer (2007)	376
3.	*Kirk Cousins (2011)*	*369*
4.	Bil Burke (1998)	358
5.	Drew Stanton (2005)	354
6.	Brian Hoyer (2008)	353
7.	*Kirk Cousins (2010)*	*338*
8.	Jim Miller (1993)	336
9.	*Kirk Cousins (2009)*	*328*
10.	Bill Burke (1999)	312

PASS COMPLETIONS

1.	Jeff Smoker (2003)	302
2.	*Kirk Cousins (2011)*	*240*
3.	Drew Stanton (2005)	236
4.	*Kirk Cousins (2010)*	*226*
5.	Brian Hoyer (2007)	223
6.	Jim Miller (1993)	215
7.	Dave Yarema (1986)	200
8.	*Kirk Cousins (2009)*	*198*

PASS COMPLETION PERCENTAGE

1.	Dave Yarema (200-297; 1986)	.673
2.	*Kirk Cousins (226-338; 2010)*	*.669*
3.	Drew Stanton (236-354; 2005)	.667
4.	*Kirk Cousins (240-369; 2011)*	*.650*
5.	Drew Stanton (141-220; 2004)	.641

PASSING YARDS

1.	Jeff Smoker (2003)	3,395
2.	Drew Stanton (2005)	3,077
3.	*Kirk Cousins (2011)*	*3,016*
4.	*Kirk Cousins (2010)*	*2,825*
5.	Brian Hoyer (2007)	2,725
6.	*Kirk Cousins (2009)*	*2,680*

TOUCHDOWN PASSES

1.	*Kirk Cousins (2011)*	*24*
2.	Drew Stanton (2005)	22
3.	Jeff Smoker (2003)	21
	Jeff Smoker (2001)	21
5.	*Kirk Cousins (2010)*	*20*
	Brian Hoyer (2007)	20
	Bill Burke (1999)	20
	Ed Smith (1978)	20
9.	*Kirk Cousins (2009)*	*19*
	Bill Burke (1998)	19

PASSING YARDS PER GAME

1.	Drew Stanton (2005)	279.7
2.	Jeff Smoker (2003)	261.2
3.	Dave Yarema (1986)	234.6
4.	Jeff Smoker (2001)	234.5
5.	Tony Banks (1995)	232.1
6.	*Kirk Cousins (2011)*	*232.0*
7.	*Kirk Cousins (2010)*	*217.3*

COUSINS NAMED MANNING AWARD FINALIST – Fifth-year senior **Kirk Cousins**, the winningest quarterback in school history, has compiled a 26-12 record (.684) in 38 career starts, including a 21-5 mark since the beginning of the 2010 season. His career winning percentage (seventh) and career victories (ninth) rank among all active NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision quarterbacks.

The 6-foot-3, 205-pound Cousins ranks among the Big Ten leaders in touchdown passes (second with 24), passing yards (third at 232.0 yards per game), passing efficiency (third with a 151.4 rating) and total offense (sixth at 227.2 ypg.). He has completed 240-of-369 throws (.650) for 3,016 yards, 24 TDs and seven interceptions. Cousins, a second-team All-Big Ten selection by the league's head coaches, has been named one of 10 finalists for the Manning Award.

During his last five games, Cousins is 93-of-138 passing (.674) for 1,323 yards (264.6 ypg.), 13 TDs and two interceptions.

In the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin, Cousins completed 22-of-30 passes for 281 yards and tied his career high with three touchdowns while setting MSU's single-season passing touchdown record in the process. Cousins, who has 24 passing TDs this season, passed Drew Stanton, who threw 22 TDs in 2005. It also marked Cousins' 25th career 200-yard passing game, extending his school record. Cousins became MSU's all-time leader in completions with his 22 in the game, giving him 696 for his career, passing Jeff Smoker (685 from 2000-03). He also became just the third Spartan quarterback to throw for more than 3,000 yards in a season, joining Jeff Smoker (3,395 in 2003) and Drew Stanton (3,077 in 2005); Cousins has 3,016 passing yards this season. Cousins tied the Spartan single-season record with a 30-yard TD pass to B.J. Cunningham on fourth-and-inches on the first play of the second quarter, cutting the Badger lead to 21-14. Cousins set the MSU single-season TD record in the second quarter with his 23rd TD of the season; Nichol caught a 3-yard completion from Cousins, then lateraled the ball to Cunningham, who proceeded to run it in from 7 yards out. Cousins was 15-for-17 for 181 yards and two TDs in the first half against the Badgers. His third TD pass was a 44-yarder to Cunningham in the third quarter.

He connected on 14-of-20 throws for 214 yards, two TDs and one interception in leading Michigan State to the outright Big Ten Legends Division title, thanks to a 31-17 victory at Northwestern. After a slow start (1-of-4 for 9 yards), Cousins completed 13 of his last 16 passes for 205 yards, including scoring strikes of 33 and 29 yards to **B.J. Cunningham**. He also became MSU's career leader in TD passes (62) and 200-yard passing games (24), breaking records previously held by **Jeff Smoker** (61 TD passes and 23 200-yard games). It marked his ninth 200-yard passing game of the season. Cousins also rushed four times for 25 yards, including two scrambles (21 and 8 yards) for first downs.

In his last game at Spartan Stadium, Cousins completed 16-of-23 throws for 272 yards in the 55-3 win over Indiana on Senior Day. He also tied his career high with three TD passes (63 and 7 yards to Cunningham; and 47 yards to **Keshawn Martin**).

Cousins hit 18-of-31 throws for 260 yards and three TDs in MSU's 37-21 victory at Iowa, as the Spartans recorded their first win in Iowa City since 1989, ending a seven-game losing streak in Kinnick Stadium. He became just the second Spartan quarterback to eclipse the 8,000-yard passing milestone. Cousins also tied his career high with three TD passes, including first-half scoring tosses of 6 and 22 yards to Cunningham and 17 yards to **Edwin Baker**.

Cousins completed 23-of-34 passes for 296 yards and two TDs in MSU's 31-24 victory over Minnesota. On the final drive of the first half, he went 6-of-8 passing for 66 yards, including a 2-yard TD toss to fullback Todd Anderson on a first-and-goal play. Cousins completed passes to four different receivers during that eight-play, 74-yard drive that last 52 seconds.

He became the winningest quarterback in Spartan history with MSU's dramatic 37-31 victory over No. 4 Wisconsin on Oct. 29. It marked his 22nd career victory, breaking the mark previously held by Smoker, who recorded 21 wins from 2000-03. In addition, Cousins was named Big Ten Co-Offensive Player of the Week after connecting on 22-of-31 throws for 290 yards and three TDs against the Badgers, including his 44-yard Hail Mary pass to **Keith Nichol** on the final play of regulation. The three TD passes matched his career best. In addition to the game-winner to Nichol, Cousins completed scoring passes of 35 yards to Cunningham and 15 yards to Martin.

Battling windy conditions with gusts up to 40 mph, Cousins completed 13-of-24 passes for 120 yards and two touchdowns in Michigan State's 28-14 victory over No. 11 and previously undefeated Michigan. Cousins became the first Spartan starting quarterback to win three straight games over the Wolverines.

Cousins completed 20-of-32 passes for 250 yards in MSU's 10-7 victory at Ohio State, as the Spartans ended a seven-game losing streak against the Buckeyes and posted their first win in Columbus since 1998. His 33-yard TD strike to Cunningham in the back of the end zone gave MSU a 7-0 lead midway through the first quarter. His 250 passing yards marked the sixth-best single-game effort by a Spartan quarterback against Ohio State.

He completed 13-of-22 throws for 213 yards, one TD and one interception in MSU's 45-7 victory over Central Michigan.

Cousins recorded his fourth career 300-yard passing game at Notre Dame while setting personal bests for pass completions (34) and pass attempts (53). His 329 passing yards are the most ever by a Spartan quarterback against the Irish (previous record: 327 yards by Drew Stanton, 2005). His 34 completions are second-highest single-game total in MSU history (school record: 35 by Jeff Smoker vs. Ohio State, 2003) while his 53 attempts are fifth-best figure in school history and the most since Brian Hoyer attempted a school-record 61 passes at Penn State in 2006. In three career games against Notre Dame, Cousins completed 72 percent of his passes (68-of-95) for 734 yards, four TDs and three interceptions.

He completed 16-of-20 passes for 183 yards and two TDs in MSU's 44-0 victory over Florida Atlantic. Cousins threw TD passes of 1 yard to **Dion Sims** and 8 yards to **Garrett Celek**.

Cousins connected on 18-of-22 throws for 222 passing yards in the 2011 season opener against Youngstown State, including an 18-yard TD strike to Cunningham late in the third quarter that gave MSU a 21-6 lead. He completed his first six pass attempts for 114 yards.

The Holland, Mich., native ranks first in MSU history in completion percentage (.646; 696 of 1,078), TD passes (65), passing efficiency (148.3), pass completions (696) and 200-yard *passing games (25).* Those figures also rank among the Top 10 in Big Ten history: third in completion percentage, fourth in passing efficiency and 10th in touchdown passes. He also is listed among MSU's all-time leaders in pass attempts (second with 1,078), passing yards (second with 8,831 yards) and total offense (second with 8,681 yards). *Cousins needs just 102 passing yards in the Outback Bowl to become MSU's all-time leader in passing yards (record: Jeff Smoker with 8,932 yards from 2000-03).* In addition, Cousins ranks among all active NCAA FBS leaders in passing efficiency (12th), passing yards (14th), TD passes (16th), completions (16th), total offense (17th) and completion percentage (18th).

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SEASON RECORDS

RECEPTIONS

1.	Devin Thomas (2007)	79
2.	*B.J. Cunningham (2011)*	*72*
3.	Blair White (2009)	70
4.	Charles Rogers (2002)	68
5.	Charles Rogers (2001)	67
6.	Plaxico Burress (1999)	66
7.	Plaxico Burress (1998)	65
8.	Kerry Reed (2006)	64
9.	*Keshawn Martin (2011)*	*62*

RECEIVING YARDS

1.	Charles Rogers (2001)	1,470
2.	Charles Rogers (2002)	1,351
3.	Devin Thomas (2007)	1,260
4.	*B.J. Cunningham (2011)*	*1,240*

TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS

1.	Charles Rogers (2001)	14
2.	Charles Rogers (2002)	13
3.	*B.J. Cunningham (2011)*	*12*
	Plaxico Burress (1999)	12
5.	*B.J. Cunningham (2010)*	*9*
	Blair White (2009)	9

KICK RETURN YARDS

1.	Devin Thomas (39 returns; 2007)	1,135
2.	Derrick Mason (36; 1994)	966
3.	Derrick Mason (35; 1995)	947
4.	*Nick Hill (36; 2011)*	*938*

SINGLE-SEASON TEAM RECORDS

PASSING YARDS

1.	2003	3,510
	2001	3,510
3.	2009	3,502
4.	2005	3,250
5.	*2011*	*3,217*

PASSING YARDS PER GAME

1.	2005	295.5
2.	2001	292.5
3.	2003	270.0
4.	2009	269.4
5.	1981	251.9
6.	*2011*	*247.5*

TOTAL YARDS

1.	2004	5,520
2.	2005	5,470
3.	2007	5,418
4.	2001	5,364
5.	1978	5,294
6.	2009	5,281
7.	*2011*	*5,075*

TOTAL POINTS

1.	2007	430
2.	1978	411
3.	*2011*	*401*

TOUCHDOWN PASSES

1.	2009	28
2.	2001	27
3.	*2011/1999*	*25*

TOP SINGLE-GAME PERFORMANCES

Edwin Baker Rushing

Yds.	Opponent (Carries)	Date
183	Florida Atlantic (15)	9/11/10
179	Minnesota (27)	11/6/10
167	Michigan (26)	10/15/11
147	Michigan (22)	10/9/10
118	Penn State (28)	11/27/10
117	Western Michigan (17)	9/4/10

Le'Veon Bell Rushing

Yds.	Opponent (Carries)	Date
141	Western Michigan (10)	9/4/10
114	Notre Dame (17)	9/18/10
112	Iowa (20)	11/12/11
106	Wisconsin (18)	12/3/11

Max Bullough Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
15	Youngstown State (3-12)	9/2/11
13	Iowa (8-5)	11/12/11

Kirk Cousins Passing

Yds.	Opponent (Comp.-Att.)	Date
353	Western Michigan (22-25)	11/7/09
331	Northwestern (29-43)	10/23/10
329	Notre Dame (34-53)	9/17/11
302	Notre Dame (23-35)	9/19/09
296	Minnesota (23-34)	11/5/11
290	Wisconsin (22-31)	10/22/11
290	Northern Colorado (16-20)	9/25/10
284	Michigan (18-25)	10/9/10
281	Wisconsin (22-30)	12/3/11
281	Northwestern (21-31)	10/17/09
276	Purdue (28-37)	11/20/10
272	Indiana (16-23)	11/19/11
269	Wisconsin (20-29)	10/2/10
260	Iowa (18-31)	11/12/11
250	Ohio State (20-32)	10/1/11
245	Notre Dame (23-33)	9/18/10
236	Minnesota (21-35)	10/31/09
225	Iowa (16-32)	10/24/09
222	Youngstown State (18-22)	9/2/11
220	Texas Tech (13-27)	1/2/10
214	Northwestern (14-20)	11/26/11
213	Central Michigan (13-22)	9/24/11
208	Purdue (11-25)	11/14/09
201	Illinois (13-24)	10/16/10
201	Wisconsin (17-34)	9/26/09

B.J. Cunningham Receiving

Yds.	Opponent (Rec.)	Date
158	Notre Dame (12)	9/17/11
154	Ohio State (9)	10/1/11
132	Indiana (6)	11/19/11
130	Youngstown State (9)	9/2/11
120	Northwestern (6)	11/26/11
115	Wisconsin (5)	12/3/11
113	Northwestern (8)	10/23/10
104	Minnesota (3)	11/5/11
102	Wisconsin (6)	10/22/11
101	Notre Dame (7)	9/18/10

Keshawn Martin All-Purpose Yards

Yds.	Opponent	Date
284	Minnesota	10/31/09
238	Texas Tech	1/2/10
236	Purdue	11/14/09
204	Florida Atlantic	9/11/10

Most Career Wins | Active NCAA FBS Quarterbacks

Rank	Player, School	Wins
1.	Kellen Moore, Boise State	49
2.	Case Keenum, Houston	36
3.	Andrew Luck, Stanford	31
4.	Austin Davis, Southern Miss	29
	Russell Wilson, Wisconsin	*29
6.	Tim Jefferson, Air Force	28
7.	Landry Jones, Oklahoma	27
	Matt Barkley, USC	27
9.	*Kirk Cousins, Michigan State*	*26*
10.	Jordan Jefferson, LSU	23
	Ryan Lindley, San Diego State	23

* 18 wins came at N.C. State

Best Winning Percentage | Active NCAA FBS Quarterbacks

Rank	Player, School	Pct. (W-L)
1.	Kellen Moore, Boise State	.942 (49-3)
2.	Andrew Luck, Stanford	.838 (31-6)
3.	Jordan Jefferson, LSU	.767 (23-7)
4.	Landry Jones, Oklahoma	.750 (27-9)
	Matt Barkley, USC	.750 (27-9)
6.	Case Keenum, Houston	.720 (36-14)
7.	*Kirk Cousins, Michigan State*	*.684 (26-12)*
8.	Austin Davis, Southern Miss	.659 (29-15)
9.	Tim Jefferson, Air Force	.636 (28-16)

COUSINS NAMED TO 2011 NFF SCHOLAR-ATHLETE CLASS – Michigan State fifth-year senior **Kirk Cousins**, the winningest quarterback in school history and a four-time Academic All-Big Ten selection, was named to the 2011 National Football Foundation National Scholar-Athlete Class. Based upon his selection, Cousins also became one of 16 finalists for the William V. Campbell Trophy, which recognizes an individual as the absolute best scholar-athlete in the nation. Each Campbell Trophy finalist was presented an $18,000 postgraduate scholarship at the 54th annual NFF Awards Dinner, on Dec. 6 at the Waldorf=Astoria in New York City.

The NFF's National Scholar-Athlete program, launched in 1959, is the first initiative in history to award scholar-athletes postgraduate scholarships for their combined athletic, academic and leadership abilities. Nominated by their respective schools, which are limited to one nominee each, candidates must be a senior or graduate student in their final year of eligibility, have a grade point average of at least 3.2 on a 4.0 scale, have outstanding football ability as a first-team player and have demonstrated strong leadership and citizenship. The class is selected each year by the NFF Awards Committee, which is comprised of a nationally recognized group of media, College Football Hall of Famers and athletics administrators.

Cousins becomes the fifth NFF National Scholar-Athlete in Michigan State history and the first since safety **Steve Wasylk** earned the honor in 1993.

Selected from a nationwide pool of 127 student-athletes, representing all NCAA divisions as well as NAIA, the 16-member class also included: Georgia punter Drew Butler, Delta State (Miss.) quarterback Micah Davis, Navy offensive guard John Dowd, Northwestern State linebacker Yaser Elqutub, South Dakota State running back Chris Ganious, Colorado School of Mines quarterback Clay Garcia, Northern Illinois quarterback Chandler Harnish, Kansas State defensive back Tysyn Hartman, South Florida offensive lineman Chaz Hine, Purdue linebacker Joe Holland, Washington State wide receiver Jared Karstetter, Army linebacker Andrew Rodriguez, Texas A&M quarterback Ryan Tannehill, Yale quarterback Patrick Witt and Dubuque (Iowa) wide receiver Michael Zweifel.

Named in honor of Bill Campbell, the chairman of Intuit, former player and head coach at Columbia University, and the 2004 recipient of the NFF's Gold Medal, the award comes with a 25-pound bronze trophy and a $25,000 postgraduate scholarship. A total of $300,000 in scholarships was distributed during the annual NFF Awards Dinner. Army linebacker Andrew Rodriguez was the 2011 recipient of the Campbell Trophy.

Cousins recently accepted an invitation to join NCAA President Dr. Mark Emmert as a panelist for an education session titled "Students First: Giving Student-Athletes the College Experience They Deserve" on Jan. 11, 2012, at the NCAA Convention in Indianapolis, Ind.

Just the second three-time captain in the 115-year history of Spartan football, Cousins was selected to speak on behalf of all student-athletes attending the 2011 Big Ten Kickoff Luncheon. His speech on "privilege and responsibility" has more than 161,000 views on YouTube. Cousins participates in the Spartan Buddies program, volunteering in the pediatric ward at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing, and the Athletes in Action sports ministry. In 2010, he was named to the Allstate American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) Good Works Team, the preeminent community service award in college football, and was presented the Big Ten Sportsmanship Award (MSU recipient) and MSU's Clarence J. Underwood Jr. Sportsmanship Award. Cousins, who carries a 3.68 grade-point average in kinesiology, graduated in December 2011.

"Kirk Cousins is certainly deserving of this special recognition by the National Football Foundation because he represents the ideal scholar-athlete," MSU head coach Mark Dantonio said. "Throughout his career, Kirk has pursued excellence in the classroom and on the playing field, and he's made a concerted effort to have a positive impact in the community. In addition, Kirk is a remarkable leader who has become a great ambassador, not only for this University and the Big Ten Conference, but all of college football. He's a winner in all aspects of his life."

COUSINS NAMED WUERFFEL TROPHY FINALIST FOR SECOND-STRAIGHT YEAR – For the second-straight year, Michigan State fifth-year senior quarterback **Kirk Cousins** was named one of the finalists for the Wuerffel Trophy, the national award that honors the college football player who best combines exemplary community service with outstanding academic and athletic achievement.

The award is named after former Heisman Trophy winner Danny Wuerffel, who led the Florida Gators to the 1996 National Championship, played six years in the National Football League and has received national recognition for his humanitarian and community service efforts with Desire Street Ministries in New Orleans and around the country. Offensive lineman Barrett Jones of Alabama was the 2011 recipient of the Wuerffel Trophy.

TOP SINGLE-GAME PERFORMANCES

Keshawn Martin Receiving

Yds.	Opponent (Rec.)	Date
139	Wisconsin (4)	9/26/09
115	Wisconsin (9)	12/3/11

Kyler Elsworth Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
10	Nebraska (3-7)	10/29/11

William Gholston Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
15	Nebraska (4-11)	10/29/11
14	Minnesota (5-9)	11/5/11

Isaiah Lewis Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
12	Minnesota (6-6)	11/5/11

Chris Norman Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
10	Michigan (6-4)	10/15/11
10	Florida Atlantic (4-6)	9/11/10

Trenton Robinson Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
14	Purdue (12-2)	11/14/09
13	Texas Tech (4-9)	1/2/10
12	Wisconsin (7-5)	12/3/11
11	Wisconsin (6-5)	9/26/09

Marcus Rush Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
11	Nebraska (7-4)	10/29/11

WINNINGEST NCAA FBS TEAMS

The Last Four Years: 2008-11

Rk.	Teams	Total Wins
1.	Boise State	49
2.	Alabama	47
3.	TCU	46
4.	Oregon	43
5.	Virginia Tech	42
6.	LSU	41
	Oklahoma	41
8.	Florida	40
	Oklahoma State	40
	Utah	40
11.	USC	39
	Wisconsin	39
13.	Nebraska	38
	Penn State	38
15.	BYU	37
	Texas	37
17.	*Michigan State*	*36*
	Cincinnati	36
	Stanford	36
	West Virginia	36
21.	Houston	35

Note: Ohio State has recorded 39 victories over the last four years; however, the Buckeyes vacated their 12 wins from the 2010 season.

The Last Four Years: 2008-11

Rk.	Teams (Record)	Winning Pct.
1.	Boise State (49-3)	.942
2.	TCU (46-5)	.902
3.	Alabama (47-6)	.887
4.	Oregon (43-9)	.827
5.	LSU (41-11)	.788
6.	Oklahoma State (40-11)	.784
	Utah (40-11)	.784
8.	Virginia Tech (42-12)	.778
9.	Oklahoma (41-12)	.774
10.	USC (39-12)	.765
11.	Florida (40-13)	.755
12.	Wisconsin (39-13)	.750
13.	Penn State (38-13)	.745
14.	BYU (37-14)	.725
	Texas (37-14)	.725
16.	Stanford (36-14)	.720
17.	Nebraska (38-15)	.717
18.	Cincinnati (36-15)	.706
	West Virginia (36-15)	.706
20.	*Michigan State (36-16)*	*.692*
21.	Iowa (35-16)	.686

Note: Ohio State (39-12) has a .765 winning percentage over the last four years; however, the Buckeyes vacated all their results from the 2010 season.

CUNNINGHAM CLOSING OUT BANNER SENIOR YEAR –

Fifth-year senior **B.J. Cunningham**, a second-team All-Big Ten selection by the coaches and media, ranks tied for first in the conference in touchdown receptions (12), third in receiving yards (95.4 per game) and fourth in receptions (5.5 per game). In addition, Cunningham ranks 17th in the FBS in receiving yards. Cunningham leads the team in receptions (72), receiving yards (1,240), TD receptions (12) and 20-yard receptions (20). Fifty-three of his career-high 72 receptions (74 percent) have resulted in either a touchdown or a first down. His 72 receptions (second), 12 TD receptions (tied for third) and 1,240 receiving yards (fourth) rank among the Top 10 single-season totals in MSU history. *He has already set a school record with eight 100-yard receiving games this season, and needs just eight catches to become MSU's single-season leader in receptions (record: 79 by Devin Thomas in 2007).*

The 6-foot-2, 215-pound Cunningham is Michigan State's all-time leader in receptions (211) and receiving yards (3,020). His 211 receptions are seventh most in Big Ten history. He also is listed among the school's career leaders in TD receptions (second with 25) and 100-yard receiving games (third with 10). In addition, Cunningham ranks among all active NCAA FBS leaders in receiving yards (ninth), TD catches (11th) and receptions (13th).

Cunningham became MSU's all-time leader in receiving yards during the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin with his 44-yard TD reception in the third quarter, passing Andre Rison, who previously held the record with 2,992 receiving yards. Cunningham recorded his eighth 100-yard receiving game of the season with 115 yards on five catches, establishing a school record. Cunningham recorded a career-high three TDs against the Badgers: he scored his first TD on a 30-yard pass from Cousins on fourth-and-inches on the first play of the second quarter, cutting the Badger lead to 21-14; for his second TD, he caught a lateral from Keith Nichol at the 7-yard line and ran it in for a touchdown; his third touchdown, a 44-yarder, arrived on a third-and-6 play with 1:41 left in the third quarter. In five career games against Wisconsin, Cunningham had 22 catches for 309 yards and six touchdowns.

Cunningham recorded his seventh 100-yard receiving game of the season with six catches for 120 yards, including TD receptions of 33 and 29 yards from Kirk Cousins, in the Spartans' 31-17 victory at Northwestern.

He had six receptions for 132 yards and two TDs in MSU's 55-3 victory over Indiana on Senior Day.

Cunningham had four catches for 46 yards in MSU's 37-21 victory at Iowa, including first-half TD grabs of 6 and 22 yards from **Kirk Cousins** as the Spartans built a 31-7 halftime lead.

Cunningham recorded his fifth 100-yard receiving game of the season with three receptions for 104 yards in the win over Minnesota. His season-long 69-yard reception from Cousins in the first quarter helped set up MSU's first touchdown.

Cunningham had his streak of 41 consecutive regular-season games with at least one pass reception come to an end at Nebraska.

He had six receptions for 102 yards in MSU's 37-31 victory over No. 4 Wisconsin, including a 35-yard TD grab from Cousins in the second quarter.

Cunningham had nine receptions for 154 yards and a touchdown in MSU's 10-7 victory at Ohio State, as the Spartans ended a seven-game losing streak against the Buckeyes and recorded their first win in Columbus since 1998. He scored on a 33-yard strike from Cousins to give MSU a 7-0 lead midway through the first quarter. His 154 receiving yards are the most ever by a Spartan against Ohio State (previous record: 135 receiving yards by **Frank Foreman**, 1969).

He had three catches for 67 yards in MSU's 45-7 victory over Central Michigan, including a 54-yard grab from Cousins on the game's opening series that set up **Le'Veon Bell's** 1-yard TD run. Cunningham recorded career highs in receptions (12) and receiving yards (158) at Notre Dame. His 12 catches tied for fourth most in a game by a Spartan wide receiver (record: 14 by **Matt Trannon** vs. Eastern Michigan in 2006). His 158 receiving yards were the most since **Blair White** had 186 yards against Northwestern in 2009, and the second most for a Spartan wide receiver against Notre Dame (**Charles Rogers**, 175 yards in 2002). It marked his second-career 100-yard receiving game against the Irish (seven receptions for 101 yards vs. Notre Dame in 2010). In four career games against Notre Dame, Cunningham had 26 receptions for 361 yards and one TD.

Cunningham became MSU's all-time leader in receptions with his 7-yard grab on a third-and-4 play on the first series against Florida Atlantic. He finished with five catches for 73 yards against the Owls.

The Westerville, Ohio, native caught nine passes for 130 yards in the 2011 season opener against Youngstown State, as he tied Trannon's (2003-06) record for career receptions with 148. His 18-yard TD catch from Cousins late in the third quarter gave MSU a 21-6 lead.

KESHAWN MARTIN PROVIDES HOME-RUN THREAT –
Senior **Keshawn Martin** has accounted for touchdowns in five different ways during his career (rushing, receiving, passing, punt return and kickoff return), joining Florida International's **T.Y. Hilton**, Arizona State's **Jamal Miles** and Toledo's **Eric Page** as the only active players in the NCAA FBS that have accomplished that feat. Western Kentucky's **Darrius Brooks** also has scored TDs in five different ways in his career (rushing, receiving, passing, interception and blocked punt return).

This season, Martin has recorded career highs in receptions (62) and receiving yards (742). The multi-dimensional threat has accounted for seven touchdowns in 2011 (four receiving, two rushing and one punt return) and ranks third on the team in all-purpose yards with 1,149 (742 receiving; 271 punt return, 121 rushing, 15 kick return). His 62 receptions (ninth) and 271 punt return yards (10th) rank among MSU's Top 10 single-season leaders.

The 5-11, 189-pound Martin ranks second in the Big Ten in punt returns (11.8 avg.), fifth in receptions (4.8 pg.) and 10th in receiving yards (57.1 ypg.). In conference games, he finished fourth in the Big Ten in receptions (4.9 per game) and eighth in receiving yards (61.9 ypg.).

Over his last eight games, Martin has posted a team-best 43 catches for 565 yards and 4 TDs while accounting for 899 all-purpose yards (112.4 ypg.).

Martin had a career-high nine receptions for 115 yards and compiled a team-high 153 all-purpose yards in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin. It marked his second career 100-yard receiving game and first of the season.

He accounted for 122 all-purpose yards and a touchdown in MSU's 31-17 victory at Northwestern, as the Spartans won the Big Ten Legends Division title outright. Martin averaged 30.5 yards on four touches against the Wildcats. His 57-yard punt return for a touchdown in the final minute of the first half gave the Spartans a 17-3 halftime lead. Martin caught two passes for 57 yards, including a 46-yard grab late in the second quarter that set up **Le'Veon Bell's** 7-yard TD run. He also rushed one time for 8 yards.

2011 TURNOVERS

MICHIGAN STATE

Takeaways (22)	Qtr.	MSU Result
INT-YSU (Lewis)	4	TD
Fumble-FAU (Returned-Langford)	4	TD*
Fumble-ND (Forced-Pickelman)	2	Fumble
INT-ND (Drummond)	2	FG
Fumble-ND (Recovered: Gardiner)	4	INT
INT-CMU (Robinson)	2	TD
INT-CMU (Lewis)	2	TD*
INT-CMU (Bullough)	2	FG
INT-CMU (Drummond)	3	Blocked Punt
INT-OSU (Dennard)	2	Punt
INT-Michigan (Lewis)	4	TD*
INT-Wisconsin (Robinson)	2	Punt
INT-Wisconsin (Lewis)	4	Punt
INT-Nebraska (Adams)	2	FG
INT-Minnesota (Robinson)	3	FG
INT-Minnesota (Robinson)	4	End of Game
INT-Iowa (Adams)	1	TD
Fumble-Iowa (Forced-Gainer)	2	TD
Fumble-Iowa (Recovered-Lippett)	4	End of Game
INT-Indiana (Drone)	2	End of Half
INT-Indiana (Adams)	3	TD*
Fumble-Northwestern (Bullough)	2	TD

TOTAL: 22 turnovers for 75 points (13-for-22 scoring)

OPPONENT

Takeaways (15)	Qtr.	Opp. Result
Fumble-YSU (Martin)	2	TD^
Fumble-ND (Cousins)	2	INT
INT-ND (Cousins)	4	FG
INT-CMU (Cousins)	2	INT
Fumble-OSU (Cousins)	2	End of Half
INT-OSU (Cousins)	4	Punt
INT-OSU (Cousins)	4	Downs
Fumble-Michigan (Baker)	3	Punt
Fumble-Michigan (Martin)	4	Downs
Fumble-Wisconsin (Baker)	1	TD
INT-Nebraska (Cousins)	1	TD
Fumble-Minnesota (Baker)	1	TD
INT-Northwestern (Cousins)	2	Fumble
Fumble-Wisconsin (Hill)	1	TD
INT-Wisconsin (Cousins)	2	Punt

TOTAL: 15 turnovers for 37 points (6-for-15 scoring)

MSU: +7 Turnover Margin, +38 Points off Turnovers Margin

** - denotes TD occured on same play as turnover.*
^ - blocked PAT

MSU TOP SINGLE PERFORMANCES VS. GEORGIA

RUSHING

Player (Att.)	Yards	Year
Blake Ezor (33)	146	1989

PASSING

Player (C-A)	Yards	Year
Bobby McAllister (14-24)	288	1989
Brian Hoyer (18-34)	169	2009

RECEIVING

Player (Rec.)	Yards	Year
Andre Rison (9)	252	1989

2011 DEFENSIVE LEADERBOARD

Rk.	Player	Production Points
1.	LB Denicos Allen	259
2.	LB Max Bullough	250
3.	DE William Gholston	209
4.	DE Marcus Rush	162
5.	SS Isaiah Lewis	147
6.	NT Kevin Pickelman	139
7.	FS Trenton Robinson	136
8.	LB Chris Norman	121
9.	DT Jerel Worthy	116
10.	CB Johnny Adams	112
11.	DE Denzel Drone	71

Martin was named to the Paul Hornung Award Weekly Honor Roll after accounting for a season-high 182 all-purpose yards and two scores in MSU's 55-3 victory over Indiana on Senior Day. He had eight catches for a season-best 99 yards against the Hoosiers, including a 47-yard TD grab from Kirk Cousins late in the first quarter. His eight receptions matched his career high (vs. Notre Dame, 2008). Martin also scored on a 19-yard reverse early in the second quarter that gave the Spartans a 24-3 lead. He also returned five punts for 64 yards, including a 21-yard return in the second quarter that set up Edwin Baker's first rushing touchdown. His 30-yard punt return late in the third quarter helped set up Baker's second TD run early in the fourth quarter.

He had four receptions for 87 yards, including a 67-yard catch, at Iowa. Against Nebraska (five catches for 58 yards) and Minnesota (seven catches for 77 yards), Martin led MSU in both receptions and receiving yards.

In the second quarter of MSU's 37-31 win over No. 4 Wisconsin, Martin scored on a 34-yard double reverse. He also caught five passes for 41 yards against the Badgers, including a 15-yard TD reception early in the fourth quarter that gave the Spartans a 31-17 lead.

Martin had three catches for 31 yards in Michigan State's 28-14 victory over No. 11 Michigan, including TD grabs of 10 and 13 yards in the third quarter.

The Inkster, Mich., native ranks among MSU's all-time leaders in punt return yards (second with 656), kick return yards (eighth with 1,085), all-purpose yards (11th with 3,968), receptions (12th with 123), receiving yards (17th with 1,679) and TD receptions (tied for 17th with 10). He has been a part of 17 total touchdowns in his career (10 receptions, three rush, two punt returns, one pass, one kick return). He is one of just three Spartans in school history, along with Derrick Mason and Bill Simpson, to return two punts for touchdowns (74 yards vs. Wisconsin in 2010; 57 yards vs. Northwestern in 2011). Over the last four seasons, Martin leads the team with 59 plays of 20-plus yards and 17 plays of 40-plus yards.

WORTHY NAMED CONSENSUS FIRST-TEAM ALL-AMERICAN –
Junior defensive tackle **Jerel Worthy**, who anchors a Spartan defensive unit that leads the Big Ten in rushing defense (104.3 yards per game), total defense (272.7 ypg.) and sacks (41), has been named consensus First-Team All-American. The 6-foot-3, 310-pound Worthy has produced a tackle for loss in eight of MSU's 13 games this season.

He became the first Spartan defensive lineman to earn Associated Press First-Team All-America honors since defensive end Charles "Bubba" Smith in 1966. It also marked the fourth-straight year that a Michigan State player has earned a spot on the AP All-America First Team (running back **Javon Ringer**, 2009; linebacker **Greg Jones**, 2009-10), tying the school record (1950-53).

Worthy earned First-Team All-America honors from The Associated Press, American Football Coaches Association (AFCA), Walter Camp Football Foundation, CBSSports.com, Yahoo! Sports and NBCSports.com. In addition, he was named one of 12 semifinalists for the Lombardi Award (college lineman of the year), one of 16 semifinalists for the Chuck Bednarik Award (defensive player of the year) and one of 20 quarterfinalists for the Lott IMPACT Trophy (presented to Defensive IMPACT Player of the Year).

A first-team All-Big Ten selection by both the coaches and media, Worthy ranks fourth on the team in tackles for loss (8.5 for 40 yards), including 3.5 sacks (28 yards). He has recorded 25 tackles (15 solos, 10 assists) and been credited with 14 quarterback hits and 10 QB hurries.

Worthy tied a career high with two tackles for loss (3 yards) in the 55-3 win over Indiana. In its 37-21 win at Iowa, MSU limited Marcus Coker, the nation's sixth-leading rusher, to just 57 yards on 21 carries – 65 yards below his season rushing average.

He made three tackles in MSU's 37-31 victory over No. 4 Wisconsin, including one for a 2-yard loss. Worthy had two stops in MSU's 28-14 win over No. 11 Michigan, including a 4-yard half sack. He also produced two tackles in MSU's 10-7 victory at Ohio State, with 1.5 tackles for loss including a 5-yard sack.

Worthy registered a season-high four stops and recovered a fumble at Notre Dame. He wore retired jersey No. 95 against the Irish as a tribute to former two-time All-American "Bubba" Smith, who passed away in early August. Smith's final game as a Spartan came in the 1966 "Game of the Century" between the No. 1 Irish and No. 2 Spartans that ended in a 10-10 tie.

The Huber Heights, Ohio, native has started 37 of 39 career games and recorded 102 tackles, with 25.5 resulting in losses (116 yards) including 12 sacks (78 yards). Those marks rank among MSU's all-time leaders: tied for 12th in sacks and tied for 18th in tackles for loss.

SADLER A KEY WEAPON ON SPECIAL TEAMS -

Red-shirt freshman **Mike Sadler** is ranked among the FBS leaders in punts inside the 20 (tied for 19th with 21) and punts inside the 10 (tied for ninth with 10). One of 14 starting freshman punters (true and redshirt) in the FBS, Sadler is averaging 39.8 yards per punt (53 punts for 2,108 yards) and has placed 40 percent of his punts inside the 20 (21 of 53).

Sadler was named the Big Ten Freshman of the Week for his performance in the win over Iowa. He averaged a season-best 46.2 yards per punt (six punts for 277 yards), including three inside the opponent's 20, against the Hawkeyes.

Sadler averaged just 35.0 yards on five punts in Michigan State's 31-24 victory over Minnesota, but a season-best four of his five punts were placed inside the Gopher 20-yard line as he earned Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week honors. He delivered two clutch punts in the final seven minutes, twice pinning Minnesota inside its own 10-yard line. His first punt was downed at the Minnesota 6 and the second fair caught by Brandon Green at the Gopher 10.

Sadler was named Big Ten Freshman of the Week for his role in the victory vs. Michigan. Sadler averaged 41.0 yards per punt on five attempts against the Wolverines, had one punt downed inside the Michigan 20-yard line, and delivered a long of 45 yards despite wind gusts of up to 40 miles per hour in Spartan Stadium.

RAY NAMED DISCOVER ORANGE BOWL/FWAA COURAGE AWARD WINNER –

Michigan State's **Arthur Ray Jr.** has been named the winner of the 2011 Discover Orange Bowl/ FWAA Courage Award. Ray, a senior offensive lineman from Chicago, returned to football this season, four years after bone cancer derailed his career.

The award will be presented Jan. 3, 2012, at the AVMed Orange Bowl Coaches Luncheon in Miami; Ray will be honored again Jan. 4 on the field during the Discover Orange Bowl.

Ray signed with Michigan State as a highly recruited lineman from Chicago's Mount Carmel High School in 2007, but was soon diagnosed with cancer in his left leg. Through nine surgeries – including four bone grafts – countless rounds of chemotherapy and several outbreaks of infection, he was unable to practice or play. For almost two years, he was unable to walk without crutches.

He had been given a medical disqualification and remained on scholarship with Michigan State. But last April, doctors cleared him to resume football.

Still, practicing was one thing; playing quite another. On Sept. 3, when the Spartans opened the season against Youngstown State, starting left guard Joel Foreman – a fifth-year senior and a team co-captain – asked Michigan State coach Mark Dantonio if he could give up his position to his friend. Foreman had started 22 straight games and 36 of 38 in his career.

SPARTANS IN THE POLLS

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Week	*AP*	*USA TODAY*	*BCS*
Preseason	17	17	--
Sept. 6	17	16	--
Sept. 11	15	15	--
Sept. 18	RV	23	--
Sept. 25	RV	25	--
Oct. 2	RV	20	--
Oct. 9	23	19	--
Oct. 16	15	13	16
Oct. 23	9	10	11
Oct. 30	15	16	17
Nov. 6	13	13	17
Nov. 13	12	12	15
Nov. 20	11	10	14
Nov. 27	11	9	13
Dec. 4	12	13	17
Final			

KEY:
RV – Receiving Votes. NOTE: BCS Standings first released on Oct. 16.

POLL NOTES:

- Michigan State has been ranked in the USA TODAY Poll for 28 consecutive weeks, the longest streak for the program since the national newspaper began administering the poll in 1991.
- Michigan State has been listed in the Bowl Championship Series Standings (Top 25) for 16 consecutive weeks, the longest streak in school history (BCS Standings first released during 1998 season).
- The Spartans are positioned to appear in the final Top 25 rankings for the third time in the last four years. The last time Michigan State finished in the Top 10 came at the conclusion of the 1999 season when the Spartans finished No. 7 in both The Associated Press and USA TODAY Polls.

2011 SPARTAN NETWORK RADIO AFFILIATES

City	Call Letters
Alma	WQBX (FM 104.9)
Alpena	WKJZ (FM 94.9)
Ann Arbor	WLBY (AM 1290)
Bad Axe	WLEW (AM 1340/FM 102.1)
Battle Creek	WBCK (FM 95.3)
Benton Harbor	WCSY (FM 103.7)
Detroit	WJR (AM 760)
Escanaba	WUPF (FM 107.3)
Flint	WWCK (AM 1570)
Gaylord	WMJZ (FM 101.5)
Grand Haven	WGHN (FM 92.1)
Grand Rapids	WBBL (FM 107.3)
Greenville	WGLM (AM 1380)
Hastings	WBCH (AM 1220/FM 100.1)
Holland	WPNW (AM 1260)
Iron Mountain	WMIQ (AM 1450)
Ishpeming	WUPG (FM 96.7)
Jackson	WIBM (AM 1450)
Kalamazoo	WKZO (AM 590)
Lansing	WJIM (AM 1240)
	WMMQ (FM 94.9)
Ludington	WKLA (AM 1450)
Midland	WLUN (FM 100.9)
Newberry	WMJT (FM 96.7)
Ontonagon	WUPY (FM 101.1)
Petoskey	WJML (AM 1110)
Port Huron	WPHM (AM 1380)
Saginaw	WNEM (AM 1250)
Sturgis	WBET (AM 1230)
Tawas City	WQLB (FM 103.3)
Traverse City	WLDR (FM 101.9)

Ray participated in only the first play, but blocked two players. He has since played against Florida Atlantic and Indiana, and continues to practice with the goal of earning more playing time.

"This is a tremendous award for a young man who has conquered all of the odds up against him," MSU head coach Mark Dantonio said. "He's played in games this year and has participated on the practice field daily. It's been a long road. He was on crutches for almost two years, from 2007 to 2009. He's really a living example to our football team on what you can do with a positive attitude and if you just continue to work, how you can conquer all obstacles."

The Courage Award was created by ESPN The Magazine's senior writer Gene Wojciechowski, also an FWAA member. A select group of FWAA members vote on the recipient each year. The requirements for nomination include displaying courage on or off the field, including overcoming an injury or physical handicap, preventing a disaster or living through hardship. Previous winners of the FWAA's Courage Award are Rutgers defensive tackle **Eric LeGrand** (2010), the University of Connecticut football team (2009), Tulsa's **Wilson Holloway** (2008), Navy's **Zerbin Singleton** (2007), Clemson's **Ray Ray McElrathbey** (2006), the Tulane football team (2005), Memphis' **Haracio Colen** (2004), San Jose State's **Neil Parry** (2003) and Toledo's **William Bratton** (2002).

SIX SPARTANS PARTICIPATE IN FALL COMMENCEMENT –

Six members of the 2011 Spartan football team participated in fall commencement ceremonies, conducted Dec. 9-10 on the Michigan State University campus: tight end **Garrett Celek** (packaging), quarterback **Kirk Cousins** (kinesiology), offensive guard **Joel Foreman** (criminal justice), wide receiver **Keith Nichol** (supply chain management), nose tackle **Kevin Pickelman** (criminal justice) and wide receiver **Brad Sonntag** (hospitality business).

In just five seasons under head coach **Mark Dantonio**, 67 Spartans have earned their undergraduate degrees.

SADLER NAMED TO CAPITAL ONE ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA TEAM –

Michigan State red-shirt freshman punter **Mike Sadler** has been named to the 2011 Capital One Academic All-America Second Team, as selected by the College Sports Information Directors of America. Sadler becomes MSU's first Academic All-American since wide receiver Blair White earned first-team honors in 2009.

Sadler, an applied engineering sciences major, sports a perfect 4.0 cumulative grade-point average.

To be nominated for the Academic All-America Team, a student-athlete must be a starter or important reserve with at least a 3.3 cumulative grade-point average (on a 4.0 scale) for his career. He also must have reached sophomore athletic and academic standing.

In addition to Sadler, three other Michigan State players – sophomore linebacker **Max Bullough**, fifth-year senior quarterback **Kirk Cousins** and fifth-year senior offensive guard **Joel Foreman** – were named the Capital One Academic All-District First Team (Disctrict 5), as selected by CoSIDA. District 5 includes all schools from the states of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio.

THIRTEEN SPARTANS EARN ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN HONORS –

Thirteen Michigan State football players have been named to the 2011 Academic All-Big Ten Team: sophomore linebacker **Max Bullough**, junior running back **Larry Caper**, fifth-year senior quarterback **Kirk Cousins**, junior offensive guard **John Deyo**, fifth-year senior offensive guard **Joel Foreman**, sophomore defensive end **Jeremy Gainer**, red-shirt freshman center **Travis Jackson**, sophomore offensive guard **Nate Klatt**, sophomore quarterback **Andrew Maxwell**, fifth-year senior wide receiver **Keith Nichol**, junior center **Ethan Ruhland**, red-shirt freshman punter **Mike Sadler** and fifth-year senior wide receiver **Brad Sonntag.** The 13 Academic All-Big Ten selections are tied for the third-highest single-season total in MSU history (2004, 2010 and 2011). To be eligible for the Academic All-Big Ten Team, a student-athlete must be a letterwinner in his second academic year and carry at least a 3.0 cumulative grade-point average (on a 4.0 scale).

Sadler is one of four football players on the 2011 Academic All-Big Ten Team, who carries a perfect 4.0 cumulative GPA.

Michigan State's list of honorees includes eight multi-year selections. Cousins and Foreman became the 15th and 16th four-time Academic All-Big Ten selections in MSU history. Deyo, Nichol and Ruhland are featured on the academic all-conference team for the third-straight year, while Caper, Klatt and Maxwell have made the honor roll for the second year in a row.

2011 Academic All-Big Ten Team

Name (Hometown)	Academic Major (GPA)
Max Bullough (Traverse City, Mich.)	finance (3.93)
Larry Caper (Battle Creek, Mich.)	advertising (3.03)
Kirk Cousins (Holland, Mich.)	kinesiology (3.68)
John Deyo (Battle Creek, Mich.)	agribusiness management (3.10)
Joel Foreman (Highland, Mich.)	criminal justice (3.33)
Jeremy Gainer (Detroit, Mich.)	hospitality business (3.13)
Travis Jackson (New Albany, Ohio)	no-preference (3.19)
Nate Klatt (Clinton, Ohio)	accounting (3.78)
Andrew Maxwell (Midland, Mich.)	supply chain management (3.76)
Keith Nichol (Lowell, Mich.)	supply chain management (3.28)
Ethan Ruhland (Lake Orion, Mich.)	human biology (3.31)
Mike Sadler (Grand Rapids, Mich.)	applied engineering sciences (4.0)
Brad Sonntag (Saginaw, Mich.)	hospitality business (3.06)

OPENING-DAY STARTING LINEUP FEATURED 10 FIRST-TIME STARTERS –
Michigan State's starting lineup for the 2011 season opener against Youngstown State featured 10 first-time starters, including three on the offensive side of the football, five on defense and two specialists. First-time starters on offense included: left guard **Arthur Ray Jr.** (6-3, 299, Sr.), right tackle **Skyler Burkland** (6-7, 305, R-Fr.) and tight end **Dion Sims** (6-5, 276, R-So.). First-time starters on defense included: defensive end **Marcus Rush** (6-2, 250, R-Fr.), nose tackle **Anthony Rashad White** (6-2, 316, Jr.), defensive end **William Gholston** (6-7, 280, So.), Mike linebacker **Max Bullough** (6-3, 245, So.) and Sam linebacker **Steve Gardiner** (6-1, 222, Jr.). **Mike Sadler** (6-0, 182, R-Fr.) and **Matt Giampapa** (6-2, 222, Fr.) also made their debuts as the starting punter and long snapper, respectively. In addition, junior **Blake Treadwell** (6-3, 295, Jr.) started his first career game at center after starting six times in his first two seasons as a defensive lineman.

2011 CAPTAINS ELECTED –
Fifth-year senior quarterback **Kirk Cousins**, fifth-year senior offensive guard **Joel Foreman** and senior free safety **Trenton Robinson** have been elected by their teammates to serve as Michigan State's captains for the 2011 season. Cousins becomes just the second three-time captain in the 115-year history of Spartan football, joining center **Robert McCurry** (1946-47-48). It marks the first time Foreman and Robinson have been elected team captains.

An additional captain will be selected each week during the 2011 season (TBA vs. Georgia in 2012 Outback Bowl).

MAGIC NUMBER 24 –
Since 1990, Michigan State is 123-33-1 (.787) when it scores at least 24 points and 19-87-1 (.182) when it scores fewer than 24 points. During that 22-year period, the Spartans have compiled an overall record of 142-120-2 (.542).

SPARTAN STREAKS

Consecutive Games Started	
Kirk Cousins, QB	33
Jerel Worthy, DT	26
Trenton Robinson, FS	25
Chris McDonald, RG	16
Max Bullough, LB	13
Isaiah Lewis, SS	13
Marcus Rush, DE	13

MSU ALL-TIME OVERTIME RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Result
10/10/1998	Indiana (2OT)	W, 38-31
10/30/2004	@ Michigan (3OT)	L, 37-45
9/17/2005	@ Notre Dame	W, 44-41
10/1/2005	Michigan	L, 31-34
10/6/2007	Northwestern	L, 41-48
10/27/2007	@ Iowa (2OT)	L, 27-34
10/3/2009	Michigan	W, 26-20
9/18/2010	Notre Dame	W, 34-31

All-Time Overtime Record: 4-4 (.500)
Overtime Record Under Dantonio: 2-2 (.500)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Denicos Allen: duh-KNEE-kos
Le'Veon Bell: LAY-vee-ON
Peter Badovinac: buh-DOE-vuh-nack
Max Bullough: BULL-uh
Taylor Calero: kuh-LAIR-oh
Garrett Celek: SELL-ick
Arjen Colquhoun: AR-jen CAL-hoon
Darqueze Dennard: DAR-kwez
John Deyo: DAY-oh
Danny Folino: Fuh-LEAN-oh
Fou Fonoti: FOE foe-NO-tee
William Gholston: GOAL-stun
Matt Giampapa: GEE-am-pa-pa
Andrew Gleichert: GLY-kert
TyQuan Hammock: TY-kwan
Mylan Hicks: MY-lin
Jairus Jones: JARE-us (Rhymes with hair)
Taiwan Jones: TWON
Brian Linthicum: LYNN-thi-come
Tony Lippett: LIP-it
Jared McGaha: muh-GAH-ha
Kevin Muma: MOO-mah
Keith Nichol: NICKEL
Blake Pacheco: pa-CHECK-oh
Niko Palazeti: NEE-co pal-uh-ZEH-tee
Micajah Reynolds: muh-KY-juh
Jerel Worthy: juh-RELL

2011 OPPONENTS UPDATE –

Date vs. MSU	Opponent	2011-12 Bowl Game
Sept. 2	Youngstown State (6-5)	--
Sept. 10	Florida Atlantic (1-10)	--
Sept. 17	@ Notre Dame (8-4)	Champs Sports Bowl (Dec. 29 vs. Florida State)
Sept. 24	Central Michigan (3-9)	--
Oct. 1	@ Ohio State (6-6)	Gator Bowl (Jan. 2 vs. Florida)
Oct. 15	Michigan (10-2)	Sugar Bowl (Jan. 3 vs. Virginia Tech)
Oct. 22	Wisconsin (11-2)	Rose Bowl (Jan. 2 vs. Oregon)
Oct. 29	@ Nebraska (9-3)	Capital One Bowl (Jan. 2 vs. South Carolina)
Nov. 5	Minnesota (3-9)	--
Nov. 12	@ Iowa (7-5)	Insight Bowl (Dec. 30 vs. Oklahoma)
Nov. 19	Indiana (1-11)	--
Nov. 26	@ Northwestern (6-6)	Texas Bowl (Dec. 31 vs. Texas A&M)

Michigan State's 2011 opponents have a combined record of 68-64 (.515). Note: Record doesn't include games played against MSU.

SPARTANS TOUGH ON HOME TURF –
Spartan Stadium recently completed its 88th season as home to Michigan State football. Michigan State has compiled a 334-142-13 record (.696) since taking up residency in Spartan Stadium in 1923. In five seasons under **Mark Dantonio**, Michigan State has produced a 29-6 record (.829) in home games, including its current 14-game winning streak, which is the fifth-longest in school history.

For the second straight year, Michigan State posted a 7-0 record at home in 2011, marking the first consecutive perfect home seasons since 1955-56. The Spartans have gone undefeated at home 18 times (including ties in 1966, 1940, 1933, 1930) since the stadium opened in 1923.

With its 35-31 come-from-behind win over Purdue in the 2010 home finale, Michigan State completed its first-ever 7-0 home season and its first undefeated home season since going 6-0 in 1999. With its 49-14 victory over No. 4 Wisconsin in the 2004 home finale, Michigan State recorded its 300th win in Spartan Stadium.

Longest Home Winning Streaks

Consecutive Wins (Years)	Teams Coached By
23 - (1903-07)	Chester Brewer
19 - (1950-53)	Clarence "Biggie" Munn
16 - (1911-14)	John Macklin
16 - (1908-11)	Chester Brewer/John Macklin
14 - (2010-11)	*Mark Dantonio*
12 - (1964-66)	Duffy Daugherty
12 - (1954-57)	Duffy Daugherty

ALWAYS A CROWD FAVORITE –
Michigan State has ranked among the NCAA's top 25 in attendance each of the last 56 seasons, including No. 20 in 2011, averaging 74,078 fans per game. The Spartans ranked No. 18 in the NCAA in total attendance as 518,545 fans went through the turnstiles for seven home games.

2011 SPARTANS OF THE WEEK –

Opponent	Offense	Defense	Special Teams
Youngstown St.	B.J. Cunningham	Max Bullough	Jerel Worthy
Florida Atantic	Kirk Cousins	Team	Keshawn Martin
@ Notre Dame	--	--	--
Central Mich.	Le'Veon Bell	Marcus Rush	Kyler Elsworth/TyQuan Hammock
@ Ohio State	B.J. Cunningham	Starting Defense	Dan Conroy/Mike Sadler
Michigan	Edwin Baker/Kirk Cousins	Denicos Allen	Mike Sadler
Wisconsin	Kirk Cousins/Keshawn Martin/ B.J. Cunningham	Johnny Adams	Kyler Elsworth/Bennie Fowler/ Darqueze Dennard
@ Nebraska	--	--	--
Minnesota	Le'Veon Bell/Kirk Cousins	Trenton Robinson	Mike Sadler/Drew Stevens
@ Iowa	Le'Veon Bell	Jerel Worthy	Mike Sadler
Indiana	Keshawn Martin	Denicos Allen	Nick Hill
@ Northwestern	Kirk Cousins/B.J. Cunningham	Kevin Pickelman	Keshawn Martin/Brad Sonntag

2011 SPARTAN SCOUT TEAM PLAYERS OF THE WEEK –

Opponent	Offense	Defense	Special Teams
Youngstown St.	Andre Sims Jr.	Shilique Calhoun	Kyle Nichol
Florida Atantic	Jack Allen/Trevon Pendleton	RJ Williamson	Shilique Calhoun
@ Notre Dame	--	--	--
Central Mich.	Nick Hill	James Kittredge	Ed Davis
@ Ohio State	Andre Sims Jr.	Doug Curtis/Damon Knox	Spencer Elliott
Michigan	Spencer Elliott	Shilique Calhoun/Danny Folino	Kyle Nichol
Wisconsin	Connor Kruse	Adam Setterbo/RJ Williamson	Chris Laneaux
@ Nebraska	--	--	--
Minnesota	Connor Cook	Ed Davis	Jordan Benton
@ Iowa	Darien Harris	Damon Knox/Lawrence Thomas	Trevon Pendleton
Indiana	Donavon Clark	Shilique Calhoun	John Jakubik
@ Northwestern	Jordan Benton	Doug Curtis/James Kittredge	Pat Rhomberg

SPARTAN SINGLE-GAME BESTS UNDER DANTONIO –
Here's a look at the top single-game totals produced by Michigan State during head coach Mark Dantonio's tenure (2007-11; 65 games):

Rushing Yards: 368 vs. Indiana, 2007
Passing Yards: 396 vs. Wisconsin, 2009
Total Yards: 602 vs. Western Michigan, 2009
First Downs: 30 vs. Western Michigan, 2009
Fewest Rushing Yards Allowed: 12 by UAB, 2007
Fewest Passing Yards Allowed: 53 by Iowa, 2007
Fewest Total Yards Allowed: 48 by Florida Atlantic, 2011
Fewest First Downs Allowed: 1 by Florida Atlantic, 2011
Sacks By: 9 vs. Ohio State, 2011
Turnovers Forced: 4 vs. Central Michigan, 2011; vs. Illinois and Northern Colorado, 2010; vs. Michigan, 2008
Points (Game): 55 vs. UAB, 2007
Points (Half): 45 (1st) vs. UAB, 2007
Points (Quarter): 24 (2nd) vs. Central Michigan, 2011; vs. UAB and Purdue, 2007
Victory Margin: 44 vs. Florida Atlantic, 2011

FUTURE SCHEDULES

2012

Aug. 31	BOISE STATE
Sept. 8	at Central Michigan
Sept. 15	NOTRE DAME
Sept. 22	EASTERN MICHIGAN
Sept. 29	OHIO STATE
Oct. 6	at Indiana
Oct. 13	IOWA
Oct. 20	at Michigan
Oct. 27	at Wisconsin
Nov. 3	NEBRASKA
Nov. 17	NORTHWESTERN
Nov. 24	at Minnesota

2013

Aug. 31	WESTERN MICHIGAN
Sept. 7	SOUTH FLORIDA
Sept. 14	YOUNGSTOWN STATE
Sept. 21	at Notre Dame
Oct. 5	at Iowa
Oct. 12	INDIANA
Oct. 19	PURDUE
Oct. 26	at Illinois
Nov. 2	MICHIGAN
Nov. 16	at Nebraska
Nov. 23	at Northwestern
Nov. 30	MINNESOTA

2014

Aug. 30	JACKSONVILLE STATE
Sept. 6	TBD
Sept. 13	at West Virginia
Sept. 20	EASTERN MICHIGAN
Oct. 4	ILLINOIS
Oct. 11	at Michigan
Oct. 25	at Indiana
Nov. 1	NORTHWESTERN
Nov. 8	at Purdue
Nov. 15	NEBRASKA
Nov. 22	IOWA
Nov. 29	at Minnesota

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SPARTAN TRENDS UNDER DANTONIO –
Here's how Michigan State has fared during head coach Mark Dantonio's tenure (2007-11: 65 games):

	2011	Overall
Games played in Spartan Stadium:	7-0	29-6
Games played on the road/neutral site:	3-3	14-16
When leading at halftime:	9-1	32-5
When trailing at halftime:	0-2	7-15
When tied at halftime:	1-0	4-2
When scoring first:	7-0	32-6
When opponent scores first:	3-3	11-16
When leading after first quarter:	6-0	26-4
When trailing after first quarter:	2-3	9-14
When tied after first quarter:	2-0	8-4
When leading after three quarters:	9-1	35-5
When trailing after three quarters:	1-2	6-15
When tied after three quarters:	0-0	2-2
Overtime games:	0-0	2-2
When gaining more first downs than opponent:	5-2	28-8
When gaining fewer first downs than opponent:	5-1	14-13
When gaining same number of first downs as opponent:	0-0	1-1
When gaining 200+ yards rushing:	1-0	14-2
When opponent gains 200+ yards rushing:	1-0	3-6
When outrushing opponent:	8-1	32-8
When being outrushed by opponent:	2-2	11-14
When gaining 200+ yards passing:	8-2	27-16
When opponent gains 200+ yards passing:	4-1	20-15
When gaining more total yards than opponent:	8-2	35-9
When gaining fewer total yards than opponent:	2-1	8-13
When leading in time of possession:	6-1	29-4
When trailing in time of possession:	4-2	14-17
When splitting in time of possession:	0-0	0-1

DANTONIO REWARDED WITH NEW CONTRACT –
Fifth-year Michigan State head football coach Mark Dantonio, who led the Spartans to a school-record 11 wins last season and a share of their first Big Ten Championship in 20 years, has been rewarded with a new contract, according to a joint announcement made Saturday, Oct. 8 by MSU Athletics Director Mark Hollis and MSU President Lou Anna K. Simon.

The length of the contract remains the same as the previous agreement – a five-year roll over deal. Under the new terms, his base salary increases from $618,000 to $650,000. Some of Dantonio's performance incentive bonuses have been restructured, including the addition of a $100,000 bonus for winning the Big Ten Championship Game. The payout date of his $2 million contingent bonus has been moved up two years, from 2016 to 2014. In addition, Dantonio has been presented with the opportunity to work for the Athletics Department for two years after he retires from coaching, and the buy-out provisions of the contract have been modified. Under terms of the new contract, Dantonio's annual compensation increases from $1.8 million to $1.83 million.

Here are the annual compensation components of the new contract:

- $650,000 base salary
- $869,000 supplemental income
- $100,000 shoe/apparel agreement
- $200,000 contingent annual base
- $13,000 benefits

GENE WASHINGTON INDUCTED INTO COLLEGE FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME –

Former Michigan State two-time All-American **Gene Washington**, one of 14 players and two coaches named to the College Football Hall of Fame 2011 Class, was honored during a special pregame ceremony prior to MSU's Oct. 22 Homecoming game against Wisconsin. As MSU's latest inductee into the College Football Hall of Fame, his name was added to Spartan Stadium's "Ring of Fame" on the east upper deck.

A three-year starter for Coach Duffy Daugherty from 1964-66, Washington helped Michigan State to a combined record of 23-6-1 during his career, including back-to-back Big Ten and National Championships in 1965-66. During that three-year span, the Spartans posted a 17-3 record in Big Ten games. A two-time First-Team All-American and two-time First-Team All-Big Ten selection (1965-66), Washington led the team in receptions for three-straight seasons.

Washington closed out his career as MSU's all-time leader in receptions (102), receiving yards (1,857) and TD receptions (16). His 18.2 yards per catch still rank ninth on MSU's all-time list. Washington had six career 100-yard receiving games.

He also was a remarkable track athlete at Michigan State, winning one NCAA indoor title (1965 60-yard high hurdles) and six Big Ten championships (three indoor and three outdoor in hurdles).

Washington was selected by the Minnesota Vikings in the first round (No. 8 overall) of the 1967 NFL Draft and became a two-time Pro Bowl selection (1969-70). He was named First-Team All-Pro by The Associated Press in 1969 after recording 39 catches for 821 yards (21.1 avg.) and nine TDs. Washington had 182 career receptions for 3,237 yards and 26 TDs in seven pro seasons (Minnesota, 1967-72; Denver, 1973).

In 1975, Washington was named to the All-Time All-Big Ten Team, selected in conjunction with the 75th anniversary of the league. In 1992, he became a member of the inaugural class inducted into the MSU Athletics Hall of Fame. Washington becomes the sixth former Michigan State player to be selected for the College Football Hall of Fame, joining halfback **John Pingel** (inducted in 1968), tackle **Don Coleman** (1975), linebacker **George Webster** (1987), defensive end **Charles "Bubba" Smith** (1988) and safety **Brad Van Pelt** (2001).

Washington was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame at the NFF College Football Hall of Fame's 54th Annual Awards Dinner on Dec. 6 at the Waldorf=Astoria in New York City. The 2011 Class also featured former Florida wide receiver Carlos Alvarez (1969-71), Texas defensive tackle Doug English (1972-74), Oregon State fullback Bill Enyart (1966-68), Ohio State running back Eddie George (1992-95), Alabama defensive tackle Marty Lyons (1975-78), Miami-Fla. defensive tackle Russell Maryland (1986-90), Florida State defensive back Deion Sanders (1985-88), Georgia defensive back Jake Scott (1967-68), Nebraska offensive guard Will Shields (1989-92), Minnesota quarterback Sandy Stephens (1959-61), West Virginia linebacker Darryl Talley (1979-82), Oklahoma halfback Clendon Thomas (1955-57) and Arizona defensive lineman Rob Waldrop (1990-93) plus former head coaches Lloyd Carr (Michigan, 1995-2007) and Fisher DeBerry (Air Force, 1984-2006).

SPARTANS IN THE NFL

Michigan State had 16 former players listed on opening-day rosters for National Football League teams in 2011. Here's a complete list of Spartans currently playing in the NFL (14 active players as of Monday, Dec. 19).

Baltimore Ravens:
DT Brandon McKinney

Buffalo Bills:
K Dave Rayner

Chicago Bears:
TE Kellen Davis

Cincinnati Bengals:
C Kyle Cook, DT Domata Peko

Detroit Lions:
QB Drew Stanton

Indianapolis Colts:
DB Chris Rucker

Miami Dolphins:
P Brandon Fields

New England Patriots:
QB Brian Hoyer

New York Giants:
LB Greg Jones, WR Devin Thomas

New York Jets:
WR Plaxico Burress, S Eric Smith

Tennessee Titans:
RB Javon Ringer

One former Michigan State player is listed on an NFL practice squad (as of Monday, Dec. 19):

Arizona Cardinals: OT D.J. Young

Three former Michigan State players also are listed on NFL injured reserve (as of Monday, Dec. 19):

Denver Broncos: WR Mark Dell, DT Kevin Vickerson

Indianapolis Colts: WR Blair White

MICHIGAN STATE DEPTH CHART (AS OF DEC. 7, 2011)

SPARTAN OFFENSE

X	3	B.J. CUNNINGHAM (6-2, 215, Sr.-5) OR
	7	KEITH NICHOL (6-2, 220, Sr.-5)
	81	Brad Sonntag (5-8, 176, Sr.-5) OR
	14	Tony Lippett (6-2, 189, R-Fr.)
LT	59	DAN FRANCE (6-6, 315, So.)
	60	Micajah Reynolds (6-5, 320, So.)
LG	67	JOEL FOREMAN (6-4, 315, Sr.-5)
	75	Jared McGaha (6-6, 298, Sr.-5)
C	63	TRAVIS JACKSON (6-3, 275, R-Fr.)
	68	Ethan Ruhland (6-5, 290, Jr.)
	66	Jack Allen (6-1, 291, Fr.)
RG	62	CHRIS MCDONALD (6-5, 300, Jr.)
	68	Ethan Ruhland (6-5, 290, Jr.)
RT	51	FOU FONOTI (6-4, 300, Jr.)
	77	Henry Conway (6-6, 318, So.)
TE	88	BRIAN LINTHICUM (6-5, 245, Sr.-5) OR
	85	GARRETT CELEK (6-5, 252, Sr.-5) OR
	80	DION SIMS (6-5, 276, R-So.)
	84	Derek Hoebing (6-7, 270, So.)
Z	82	KESHAWN MARTIN (5-11, 189, Sr.)
	13	Bennie Fowler (6-1, 215, So.)
	25	Keith Mumphery (6-0, 202, R-Fr.)
	16	Chris D. Rucker (5-9, 178, Sr.-5)
QB	8	KIRK COUSINS (6-3, 205, Sr.-5)
	10	Andrew Maxwell (6-3, 208, So.)
FB	42	TODD ANDERSON (6-2, 265, Sr.-5)
	38	Niko Palazeti (6-1, 250, R-Fr.)
	43	Adam Setterbo (6-3, 245, Sr.-5)
TB	24	LE'VEON BELL (6-2, 237, So.) OR
	4	EDWIN BAKER (5-9, 210, Jr.) OR
	22	LARRY CAPER (5-11, 223, Jr.)
	20	Nick Hill (5-7, 180, R-Fr.)

SPARTAN DEFENSE

DE	44	MARCUS RUSH (6-2, 250, R-Fr.)
	55	Corey Freeman (6-2, 250, Jr.) OR
	47	Jeremy Gainer (6-1, 228, So.)
DT	99	JEREL WORTHY (6-3, 310, Jr.)
	69	Blake Pacheco (6-1, 264, Sr.-5)
NT	98	ANTHONY RASHAD WHITE (6-2, 316, Jr.)
	60	Micajah Reynolds (6-5, 320, So.)
DE	2	WILLIAM GHOLSTON (6-7, 280, So.)
	52	Denzel Drone (6-2, 262, So.)
STAR	10	CHRIS NORMAN (6-1, 227, Jr.)
	34	Taiwan Jones (6-3, 234, Fr.)
MIKE	40	MAX BULLOUGH (6-3, 245, So.)
	49	TyQuan Hammock (6-0, 230, So.)
SAM	28	DENICOS ALLEN (5-10, 220, So.)
	50	Steve Gardiner (6-1, 222, Jr.)
	41	Kyler Elsworth (6-1, 215, So.)
FC	31	DARQUEZE DENNARD (5-11, 185, So.) OR
	14	TONY LIPPETT (6-2, 189, R-Fr.)
FS	39	TRENTON ROBINSON (5-10, 192, Sr.)
	27	Kurtis Drummond (6-1, 196, R-Fr.)
	12	Dana Dixon (6-2, 170, So.)
SS	9	ISAIAH LEWIS (5-10, 195, So.)
	23	Jairus Jones (6-1, 209, So.)
BC	5	JOHNNY ADAMS (5-11, 175, Jr.)
	32	Mitchell White (5-11, 180, Jr.)
	33	Jeremy Langford (5-11, 205, R-Fr.)

SPARTAN SPECIAL TEAMS

KO	17	KEVIN MUMA (6-0, 189, So.)
	4	Dan Conroy (5-10, 190, Jr.)
PK	4	DAN CONROY (5-10, 190, Jr.)
	17	Kevin Muma (6-0, 189, So.)
P	3	MIKE SADLER (6-0, 182, R-Fr.)
	20	Kyle Selden (6-5, 206, Sr.-5)
SN	58	MATT GIAMPAPA (6-2, 222, Fr.)
	53	Steve Moore (6-3, 223, R-So.)
	42	Todd Anderson (6-2, 260, Sr.-5)
HLD	81	BRAD SONNTAG (5-8, 176, Sr.-5)
	10	Andrew Maxwell (6-3, 208, So.)

KR	20	NICK HILL (5-7, 180, R-Fr.)
	22	LARRY CAPER (5-11, 223, Jr.) OR
	24	LE'VEON BELL (6-2, 237, So.)
	82	Keshawn Martin (5-11, 189, Sr.)
PR	82	KESHAWN MARTIN (5-11, 189, Sr.)
	20	Nick Hill (5-7, 180, R-Fr.)

STARTING LINEUPS/CAREER STARTS

Career Starts by Position

FB
42-Anderson (6)

TB
4-Baker (21)
22-Caper (5)
24-Bell (5)

QB
8-Cousins (38)

Z
82-Martin (14)
13-Fowler (1)

TE
88-Linthicum (25/30#)
85-Celek (12)
80-Sims (3)

RT
51-Fonoti (10)
70-Burkland (3)

RG
62-McDonald (25)

C
93-Treadwell (9^)
63-Jackson (9)
68-Ruhland (1)

LG
67-Foreman (48)
73-Ray (1)

LT
59-France (12)
75-McGaha (4)

X
3-Cunningham (41)
7-Nichol (14*)

FC
31-Dennard (12)
14-Lippett (4)

DE
2-Gholston (11)
52-Drone (6)

DT
99-Worthy (37)
57-Strayhorn (2)

NT
96-Pickelman (18)
98-A.R. White (3)

DE
44-Rush (13)
91-Hoover (9)

BC
5-Adams (27)
32-M. White (1)

SAM
28-Allen (12)
50-Gardiner (3)

MIKE
40-Bullough (13)

STAR
10-Norman (22)

FS
39-Robinson (32)

SS
9-Lewis (14)

Includes games started at Clemson, 2007.
* Includes one start at quarterback in 2009.
^ Includes six games started on defensive line, 2009-10.
+ Double tight end set.
$ Three receiver set.

2011 OFFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Game	X	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	Z	QB	FB	TB
Youngstown State	Cunningham	McGaha	Ray	Treadwell	McDonald	Burkland	Linthicum	Nichol	Cousins	Sims+	Baker
Florida Atlantic	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Treadwell	McDonald	Burkland	Linthicum	Nichol	Cousins	Anderson	Baker
at Notre Dame	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Treadwell	McDonald	Burkland	Linthicum	Martin	Cousins	Sims+	Baker
Central Michigan	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Jackson	McDonald	Fonoti	Celek	Martin	Cousins	Anderson	Baker
at Ohio State	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Jackson	McDonald	Fonoti	Linthicum	Martin	Cousins	Celek+	Baker
Michigan	Nichol	France	Foreman	Jackson	McDonald	Fonoti	Linthicum	Martin	Cousins	Celek+	Baker
Wisconsin	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Jackson	McDonald	Fonoti	Linthicum	Martin	Cousins	Celek+	Baker
at Nebraska	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Jackson	McDonald	Fonoti	Linthicum	Martin	Cousins	Sims+	Bell
Minnesota	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Ruhland	McDonald	Fonoti	Linthicum	Celek+	Cousins	Anderson	Baker
at Iowa	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Jackson	McDonald	Fonoti	Linthicum	Nichol	Cousins	Anderson	Bell
Indiana	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Jackson	McDonald	Fonoti	Linthicum	Nichol	Cousins	Celek+	Bell
at Northwestern	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Jackson	McDonald	Fonoti	Linthicum	Martin	Cousins	Anderson	Bell
vs. Wisconsin	Cunningham	France	Foreman	Jackson	McDonald	Fonoti	Linthicum	Martin	Cousins	Anderson	Bell

2011 DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Game	DE	DT	NT	DE	SAM	MIKE	STAR	FC	FS	SS	BC
Youngstown State	Rush	Worthy	A.R. White	Gholston	Gardiner	Bullough	Norman	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
Florida Atlantic	Rush	Worthy	A.R. White	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
at Notre Dame	Rush	Worthy	A.R. White	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
Central Michigan	Rush	Worthy	Pickelman	Drone	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
at Ohio State	Rush	Worthy	Pickelman	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
Michigan	Rush	Worthy	Pickelman	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
Wisconsin	Rush	Worthy	Pickelman	Drone	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
at Nebraska	Rush	Worthy	Pickelman	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Gardiner	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Lippett
Minnesota	Rush	Worthy	Pickelman	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Gardiner	Lippett	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
at Iowa	Rush	Worthy	Pickelman	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
Indiana	Rush	Worthy	Pickelman	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Lippett	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
at Northwestern	Rush	Worthy	Pickelman	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Lippett	Robinson	Lewis	Adams
vs. Wisconsin	Rush	Worthy	Pickleman	Gholston	Allen	Bullough	Norman	Dennard	Robinson	Lewis	Adams

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Elig.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
2	William Gholston	DE	6-7	280	So.	So.	1L	Detroit, Mich. (Southeastern)
3	B.J. Cunningham	WR	6-2	215	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Westerville, Ohio (Westerville South)
3	Mike Sadler	P	6-0	182	Fr.	So.	RS	Grand Rapids, Mich. (Forest Hills Northern)
4	Edwin Baker	RB	5-9	210	Jr.	Jr.	2L	Highland Park, Mich. (Oak Park)
4	Dan Conroy	K	5-10	190	Jr.	Sr.	1L	Wheaton, Ill. (Wheaton Warrenville South)
5	Johnny Adams	CB	5-11	175	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Akron, Ohio (Buchtel)
6	Mylan Hicks	S	5-11	191	Fr.	So.	RS	Detroit, Mich. (Renaissance)
7	Keith Nichol	WR	6-2	220	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	Lowell, Mich. (Oklahoma)
8	Kirk Cousins	QB	6-3	205	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Holland, Mich. (Holland Christian)
8	Lawrence Thomas	LB	6-3	275	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Detroit, Mich. (Renaissance)
9	Isaiah Lewis	S	5-10	195	So.	So.	1L	Indianapolis, Ind. (Ben Davis)
10	Andrew Maxwell	QB	6-3	208	So.	Jr.	1L	Midland, Mich. (Midland)
10	Chris Norman	LB	6-1	227	Jr.	Jr.	2L	Detroit, Mich. (Renaissance)
11	Juwan Caesar +	WR	6-3	197	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Miami, Fla. (Miami Coral Park Senior)
12	Dana Dixon	CB	6-2	170	So.	Jr.	1L	Detroit, Mich. (Renaissance)
12	Peter Badovinac	QB	6-2	215	Jr.	Sr.	SQ	Inverness, Ill. (Drake)
13	Bennie Fowler	WR	6-1	215	So.	Jr.	1L	Bloomfield, Mich. (Detroit Country Day)
14	Tony Lippett	CB/WR	6-2	189	Fr.	So.	RS	Detroit, Mich. (Crockett)
15	Trae Waynes	CB	6-0	165	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Kenosha, Wis. (Bradford)
16	Chris D. Rucker	WR	5-9	178	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	Detroit, Mich. (Detroit Country Day)
16	Tommy Vento	QB	6-1	180	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Farmington Hills, Mich. (Harrison)
17	Kevin Muma	K	6-0	189	So.	Jr.	1L	Troy, Mich. (Troy)
17	Kyle Nichol	WR	5-9	184	So.	Jr.	SQ	Lowell, Mich. (Lowell)
18	Connor Cook	QB	6-4	200	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Hinckley, Ohio (Walsh Jesuit)
18	Jordan Benton	WR	6-0	182	Jr.	So.	SQ	Los Angeles, Calif. (Loyola)
19	Danny Folino	LB	5-9	195	So.	Jr.	SQ	Okemos, Mich. (East Lansing)
19	AJ Troup	WR	6-2	209	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Minneapolis, Minn. (Wayzata)
20	Nick Hill	RB	5-7	180	Fr.	So.	RS	Chelsea, Mich. (Chelsea)
20	Kyle Selden	P	6-5	206	Sr.	Sr.-5	SQ	Waterford, Mich. (Our Lady of the Lakes)
21	Andre Sims Jr.	WR	5-8	180	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Snellville, Ga. (Brookwood)
22	Larry Caper	RB	5-11	223	Jr.	Jr.	2L	Battle Creek, Mich. (Battle Creek Central)
23	Jairus Jones	S	6-1	209	So.	Jr.	1L	Tampa, Fla. (Wharton)
23	Takudzwa Kubvoruno	WR	5-11	175	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Gull Lake, Mich. (Gull Lake)
24	Le'Veon Bell	RB	6-2	237	So.	So.	1L	Reynoldsburg, Ohio (Groveport Madison)
25	Keith Mumphery	WR	6-0	202	Fr.	So.	RS	Vienna, Ga. (Dooly County)
25	Kyle Artinian	S	5-11	192	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Grand Blanc, Mich. (Grand Blanc)
26	RJ Williamson	S	5-10	182	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Middletown, Ohio (Dunbar)
27	Kurtis Drummond	S	6-1	196	Fr.	So.	RS	Masury, Ohio (Hubbard)
28	Denicos Allen	LB	5-10	220	So.	Jr.	1L	Hamilton, Ohio (Hamilton)
29	Spencer Elliott	WR	6-0	181	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Ada, Mich. (Forest Hills Eastern)
31	Darqueze Dennard	CB	5-11	185	So.	So.	1L	Dry Branch, Ga. (Twiggs County)
32	Mitchell White	CB	5-11	180	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Livonia, Mich. (Stevenson)
33	Jeremy Langford	CB	5-11	205	Fr.	So.	RS	Wayne, Mich. (John Glenn)
34	Taiwan Jones	LB	6-3	234	Fr.	Fr.	HS	New Baltimore, Mich. (Anchor Bay)
35	Chris Laneaux	DB	5-11	180	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Kalamazoo, Mich. (Portage Northern)
36	Arjen Colquhoun	CB	6-0	187	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Windsor, Ontario (W.F. Herman Secondary School)
37	Trevon Pendleton	FB	5-11	230	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Lucasville, Ohio (Portsmouth West)
38	Niko Palazeti	FB	6-1	250	Fr.	So.	RS	Northville, Mich. (Detroit Catholic Central)
39	Trenton Robinson	S	5-10	192	Sr.	Sr.	3L	Bay City, Mich. (Bay City Central)
40	Max Bullough	LB	6-3	245	So.	So.	1L	Traverse City, Mich. (St. Francis)
41	Kyler Elsworth	LB	6-1	215	So.	Jr.	1L	Goodrich, Mich. (Goodrich)
42	Todd Anderson	FB	6-2	260	Sr.	Sr.-5	1L	Napoleon, Mich. (Napoleon)
42	Ty Hamilton	LB	6-0	230	Fr.	So.	RS	Fenton, Mich. (Fenton)
43	Adam Setterbo	FB	6-3	245	Sr.	Sr.-5	1L	Spring Lake, Mich. (Spring Lake Senior)
43	Ed Davis	LB	6-3	215	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Detroit, Mich. (Southeastern)
44	Marcus Rush	DE	6-2	250	Fr.	So.	RS	Cincinnati, Ohio (Archbishop Moeller)
45	Darien Harris	LB	6-0	206	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Silver Spring, Md. (DeMatha Catholic)
45	Jeff Bobek	FB	6-1	245	Jr.	Jr.	SQ	Palatine, Ill. (William Fremd)

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47	Jeremy Gainer	LB	6-1	228	So.	Jr.	SQ	Detroit, Mich. (Clarenceville)
48	Drew Stevens	TE	6-4	242	Jr.	Sr.	1L	Delaware, Ohio (Olentangy)
48	Pat Rhomberg	LB	6-0	218	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Columbus, Ohio (Bishop Watterson)
49	TyQuan Hammock	LB	6-0	230	So.	Jr.	1L	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Bishop Luers)
50	Steve Gardiner	LB	6-1	222	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Dublin, Ohio (Coffman)
51	Fou Fonoti	OT	6-4	300	Jr.	Jr.	JC	Lakewood, Calif. (Cerritos College)
52	Denzel Drone	DE	6-2	262	So.	Jr.	1L	Plant City, Fla. (Plant City)
53	Steve Moore	SN	6-3	223	So.	Jr.	RS	Pinconning, Mich. (Pinconning Area)
53	Kyle Lints	OG	6-3	275	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Traverse City, Mich. (St. Francis)
54	Connor Kruse	OL	6-5	300	Fr.	So.	RS	Lowell, Mich. (Lowell)
55	Corey Freeman	DE	6-2	250	Jr.	Jr.	1L	Cleveland Heights, Ohio (Cleveland Heights)
56	Matt Ramondo	DT	6-5	328	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Las Cruces, N.M. (Mayfield)
57	Johnathan Strayhorn +	DL	6-0	272	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Detroit, Mich. (Oak Park)
58	Matt Giampapa	SN	6-2	222	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Jackson, Tenn. (University School of Jackson)
58	Jordan Sanders	DT	6-1	288	Fr.	So.	RS	Rochester, Mich. (Adams)
59	Dan France	OT	6-6	315	So.	Jr.	1L	North Royalton, Ohio (North Royalton)
60	Micajah Reynolds	NT	6-5	320	So.	Jr.	1L	Lansing, Mich. (Sexton)
62	Chris McDonald	OG	6-5	300	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Sterling Heights, Mich. (Henry Ford II)
63	Travis Jackson	C	6-3	275	Fr.	So.	RS	New Albany, Ohio (St. Francis DeSales)
64	Blake Treadwell +	OL	6-3	295	Jr.	Jr.	2L	East Lansing, Mich. (East Lansing)
65	Michael Dennis	OT	6-7	307	Fr.	So.	RS	Carey, Ohio (Carey)
65	Doug Curtis	NT	6-2	250	Jr.	Jr.	SQ	Weston, Conn. (Weston)
66	Jack Allen	C	6-1	291	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Hinsdale, Ill. (Hinsdale Central)
67	Joel Foreman	OG	6-4	315	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Highland, Mich. (Milford)
68	Ethan Ruhland	OL	6-5	290	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Lake Orion, Mich. (Lake Orion)
69	Blake Pacheco	DT	6-1	264	Sr.	Sr.-5	SQ	Salinas, Calif. (Monterey Peninsula College)
69	Shawn Kamm	OL	6-7	310	Fr.	So.	RS	Saginaw, Mich. (Nouvel Catholic Central)
70	Skyler Burkland +	OT	6-7	305	Fr.	So.	RS	Sunbury, Ohio (Big Walnut)
71	John Deyo	OG	6-6	300	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Battle Creek, Mich. (Gull Lake)
72	Nate Klatt	OL	6-4	290	So.	Jr.	1L	Clinton, Ohio (Northwest)
73	Arthur Ray Jr.	OG	6-3	299	Sr.	Sr.	SQ	Chicago, Ill. (Mount Carmel)
75	Jared McGaha	OT	6-6	298	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	Powell, Tenn. (Powell)
76	Donavon Clark	OL	6-3	294	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Cincinnati, Ohio (Finneytown)
77	Henry Conway	OT	6-6	318	So.	Jr.	SQ	Shaker Heights, Ohio (Shaker Heights)
80	Dion Sims	TE	6-5	276	So.	Jr.	1L	Detroit, Mich. (Orchard Lake St. Mary's)
81	Brad Sonntag	WR	5-8	176	Sr.	Sr.-5	1L	Saginaw, Mich. (Nouvel Catholic Central)
82	Keshawn Martin	WR	5-11	189	Sr.	Sr.	3L	Inkster, Mich. (John Glenn)
83	Paul Lang +	TE	6-5	247	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Mount Lebanon)
84	Derek Hoebing	TE	6-7	270	So.	Jr.	1L	Vermilion, Ohio (Vermilion)
85	Garrett Celek	TE	6-5	252	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	Cincinnati, Ohio (LaSalle)
86	Chris Nash	TE	6-3	240	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Roseville, Mich. (Roseville)
87	Brandon Clemons +	DL	6-3	262	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Milford, Pa. (Delaware Valley)
88	Brian Linthicum	TE	6-5	245	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	St. Louis, Mo. (Clemson)
89	Shilique Calhoun	DE	6-4	220	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Middletown, N.J. (Middletown North)
91	Tyler Hoover +	DE	6-7	290	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Novi, Mich. (Novi)
92	Joel Heath +	DE	6-5	270	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Cincinnati, Ohio (Mount Healthy)
92	Andrew Gleichert	TE	6-5	250	Fr.	So.	RS	Ann Arbor, Mich. (Huron)
93	Damon Knox	DE	6-4	274	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Muskegon, Mich. (Muskegon)
94	Taylor Calero	DE	6-3	245	Fr.	So.	RS	Beverly Hills, Mich. (Southfield Christian)
96	Kevin Pickelman +	NT	6-4	288	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Marshall, Mich. (Marshall)
97	Mark Scarpinato	DT	6-3	270	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Milwaukee, Wis. (Marquette University)
98	Anthony Rashad White	NT	6-2	316	Jr.	Jr.	1L	Battle Creek, Mich. (Fort Scott CC)
99	Jerel Worthy	DT	6-3	310	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Huber Heights, Ohio (Wayne)

EXP. KEY – HS: High School; **RS:** Red-shirted; **JC:** Junior College; **TR:** Transfer; **SQ:** Squad Member; **L:** Letters Earned; **+:** Injured.

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5	Johnny Adams	CB	5-11	175	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Akron, Ohio (Buchtel)
28	Denicos Allen	LB	5-10	220	So.	Jr.	1L	Hamilton, Ohio (Hamilton)
66	Jack Allen	C	6-1	291	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Hinsdale, Ill. (Hinsdale Central)
42	Todd Anderson	FB	6-2	260	Sr.	Sr.-5	1L	Napoleon, Mich. (Napoleon)
25	Kyle Artinian	S	5-11	192	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Grand Blanc, Mich. (Grand Blanc)
12	Peter Badovinac	QB	6-2	215	Jr.	Sr.	SQ	Inverness, Ill. (Drake)
4	Edwin Baker	RB	5-9	210	Jr.	Jr.	2L	Highland Park, Mich. (Oak Park)
24	Le'Veon Bell	RB	6-2	237	So.	So.	1L	Reynoldsburg, Ohio (Groveport Madison)
18	Jordan Benton	WR	6-0	182	Jr.	So.	SQ	Los Angeles, Calif. (Loyola)
45	Jeff Bobek	FB	6-1	245	Jr.	Jr.	SQ	Palatine, Ill. (William Fremd)
40	Max Bullough	LB	6-3	245	So.	So.	1L	Traverse City, Mich. (St. Francis)
70	Skyler Burkland +	OT	6-7	305	Fr.	So.	RS	Sunbury, Ohio (Big Walnut)
11	Juwan Caesar +	WR	6-3	197	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Miami, Fla. (Miami Coral Park Senior)
94	Taylor Calero	DE	6-3	245	Fr.	So.	RS	Beverly Hills, Mich. (Southfield Christian)
89	Shilique Calhoun	DE	6-4	220	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Middletown, N.J. (Middletown North)
22	Larry Caper	RB	5-11	223	Jr.	Jr.	2L	Battle Creek, Mich. (Battle Creek Central)
85	Garrett Celek	TE	6-5	252	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	Cincinnati, Ohio (LaSalle)
76	Donavon Clark	OL	6-3	294	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Cincinnati, Ohio (Finneytown)
87	Brandon Clemons +	DL	6-3	262	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Milford, Pa. (Delaware Valley)
36	Arjen Colquhoun	CB	6-0	187	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Windsor, Ontario (W.F. Herman Secondary School)
4	Dan Conroy	K	5-10	190	Jr.	Sr.	1L	Wheaton, Ill. (Wheaton Warrenville South)
77	Henry Conway	OT	6-6	318	So.	Jr.	SQ	Shaker Heights, Ohio (Shaker Heights)
18	Connor Cook	QB	6-4	200	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Hinckley, Ohio (Walsh Jesuit)
8	Kirk Cousins	QB	6-3	205	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Holland, Mich. (Holland Christian)
3	B.J. Cunningham	WR	6-2	215	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Westerville, Ohio (Westerville South)
65	Doug Curtis	NT	6-2	250	Jr.	Jr.	SQ	Weston, Conn. (Weston)
43	Ed Davis	LB	6-3	215	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Detroit, Mich. (Southeastern)
31	Darqueze Dennard	CB	5-11	185	So.	So.	1L	Dry Branch, Ga. (Twiggs County)
65	Michael Dennis	OT	6-7	307	Fr.	So.	RS	Carey, Ohio (Carey)
71	John Deyo	OG	6-6	300	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Battle Creek, Mich. (Gull Lake)
12	Dana Dixon	CB	6-2	170	So.	Jr.	1L	Detroit, Mich. (Renaissance)
52	Denzel Drone	DE	6-2	262	So.	Jr.	1L	Plant City, Fla. (Plant City)
27	Kurtis Drummond	S	6-1	196	Fr.	So.	RS	Masury, Ohio (Hubbard)
29	Spencer Elliott	WR	6-0	181	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Ada, Mich. (Forest Hills Eastern)
41	Kyler Elsworth	LB	6-1	215	So.	Jr.	1L	Goodrich, Mich. (Goodrich)
19	Danny Folino	LB	5-9	195	So.	Jr.	SQ	Okemos, Mich. (East Lansing)
51	Fou Fonoti	OT	6-4	300	Jr.	Jr.	JC	Lakewood, Calif. (Cerritos College)
67	Joel Foreman	OG	6-4	315	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Highland, Mich. (Milford)
13	Bennie Fowler	WR	6-1	215	So.	Jr.	1L	Bloomfield, Mich. (Detroit Country Day)
59	Dan France	OT	6-6	315	So.	Jr.	1L	North Royalton, Ohio (North Royalton)
55	Corey Freeman	DE	6-2	250	Jr.	Jr.	1L	Cleveland Heights, Ohio (Cleveland Heights)
47	Jeremy Gainer	LB	6-1	228	So.	Jr.	SQ	Detroit, Mich. (Clarenceville)
50	Steve Gardiner	LB	6-1	222	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Dublin, Ohio (Coffman)
2	William Gholston	DE	6-7	280	So.	So.	1L	Detroit, Mich. (Southeastern)
58	Matt Giampapa	SN	6-2	222	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Jackson, Tenn. (University School of Jackson)
92	Andrew Gleichert	TE	6-5	250	Fr.	So.	RS	Ann Arbor, Mich. (Huron)
42	Ty Hamilton	LB	6-0	230	Fr.	So.	RS	Fenton, Mich. (Fenton)
49	TyQuan Hammock	LB	6-0	230	So.	Jr.	1L	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Bishop Luers)
45	Darien Harris	LB	6-0	206	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Silver Spring, Md. (DeMatha Catholic)
92	Joel Heath +	DE	6-5	270	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Cincinnati, Ohio (Mount Healthy)
6	Mylan Hicks	S	5-11	191	Fr.	So.	RS	Detroit, Mich. (Renaissance)
20	Nick Hill	RB	5-7	180	Fr.	So.	RS	Chelsea, Mich. (Chelsea)
84	Derek Hoebing	TE	6-7	270	So.	Jr.	1L	Vermilion, Ohio (Vermilion)
91	Tyler Hoover +	DE	6-7	290	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Novi, Mich. (Novi)
63	Travis Jackson	C	6-3	275	Fr.	So.	RS	New Albany, Ohio (St. Francis DeSales)
23	Jairus Jones	S	6-1	209	So.	Jr.	1L	Tampa, Fla. (Wharton)
34	Taiwan Jones	LB	6-3	234	Fr.	Fr.	HS	New Baltimore, Mich. (Anchor Bay)
69	Shawn Kamm	OL	6-7	310	Fr.	So.	RS	Saginaw, Mich. (Nouvel Catholic Central)

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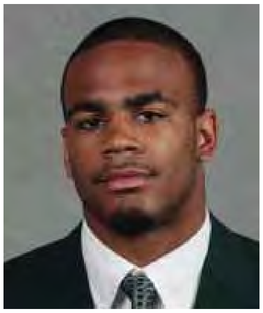
72	Nate Klatt	OL	6-4	290	So.	Jr.	1L	Clinton, Ohio (Northwest)
93	Damon Knox	DE	6-4	274	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Muskegon, Mich. (Muskegon)
54	Connor Kruse	OL	6-5	300	Fr.	So.	RS	Lowell, Mich. (Lowell)
23	Takudzwa Kubvoruno	WR	5-11	175	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Gull Lake, Mich. (Gull Lake)
35	Chris Laneaux	DB	5-11	180	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Kalamazoo, Mich. (Portage Northern)
83	Paul Lang +	TE	6-5	247	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Mount Lebanon)
33	Jeremy Langford	CB	5-11	205	Fr.	So.	RS	Wayne, Mich. (John Glenn)
9	Isaiah Lewis	S	5-10	195	So.	So.	1L	Indianapolis, Ind. (Ben Davis)
88	Brian Linthicum	TE	6-5	245	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	St. Louis, Mo. (Clemson)
53	Kyle Lints	OG	6-3	275	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Traverse City, Mich. (St. Francis)
14	Tony Lippett	CB/WR	6-2	189	Fr.	So.	RS	Detroit, Mich. (Crockett)
82	Keshawn Martin	WR	5-11	189	Sr.	Sr.	3L	Inkster, Mich. (John Glenn)
10	Andrew Maxwell	QB	6-3	208	So.	Jr.	1L	Midland, Mich. (Midland)
62	Chris McDonald	OG	6-5	300	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Sterling Heights, Mich. (Henry Ford II)
75	Jared McGaha	OT	6-6	298	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	Powell, Tenn. (Powell)
53	Steve Moore	SN	6-3	223	So.	Jr.	RS	Pinconning, Mich. (Pinconning Area)
17	Kevin Muma	K	6-0	189	So.	Jr.	1L	Troy, Mich. (Troy)
25	Keith Mumphery	WR	6-0	202	Fr.	So.	RS	Vienna, Ga. (Dooly County)
86	Chris Nash	TE	6-3	240	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Roseville, Mich. (Roseville)
7	Keith Nichol	WR	6-2	220	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	Lowell, Mich. (Oklahoma)
17	Kyle Nichol	WR	5-9	184	So.	Jr.	SQ	Lowell, Mich. (Lowell)
10	Chris Norman	LB	6-1	227	Jr.	Jr.	2L	Detroit, Mich. (Renaissance)
69	Blake Pacheco	DT	6-1	264	Sr.	Sr.-5	SQ	Salinas, Calif. (Monterey Peninsula College)
38	Niko Palazeti	FB	6-1	250	Fr.	So.	RS	Northville, Mich. (Detroit Catholic Central)
37	Trevon Pendleton	FB	5-11	230	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Lucasville, Ohio (Portsmouth West)
96	Kevin Pickelman +	NT	6-4	288	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Marshall, Mich. (Marshall)
56	Matt Ramondo	DT	6-5	328	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Las Cruces, N.M. (Mayfield)
73	Arthur Ray Jr.	OG	6-3	299	Sr.	Sr.	SQ	Chicago, Ill. (Mount Carmel)
60	Micajah Reynolds	NT	6-5	320	So.	Jr.	1L	Lansing, Mich. (Sexton)
48	Pat Rhomberg	LB	6-0	218	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Columbus, Ohio (Bishop Watterson)
39	Trenton Robinson	S	5-10	192	Sr.	Sr.	3L	Bay City, Mich. (Bay City Central)
16	Chris D. Rucker	WR	5-9	178	Sr.	Sr.-5	2L	Detroit, Mich. (Detroit Country Day)
68	Ethan Ruhland	OL	6-5	290	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Lake Orion, Mich. (Lake Orion)
44	Marcus Rush	DE	6-2	250	Fr.	So.	RS	Cincinnati, Ohio (Archbishop Moeller)
3	Mike Sadler	P	6-0	182	Fr.	So.	RS	Grand Rapids, Mich. (Forest Hills Northern)
58	Jordan Sanders	DT	6-1	288	Fr.	So.	RS	Rochester, Mich. (Adams)
97	Mark Scarpinato	DT	6-3	270	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Milwaukee, Wis. (Marquette University)
20	Kyle Selden	P	6-5	206	Sr.	Sr.-5	SQ	Waterford, Mich. (Our Lady of the Lakes)
43	Adam Setterbo	FB	6-3	245	Sr.	Sr.-5	1L	Spring Lake, Mich. (Spring Lake Senior)
21	Andre Sims Jr.	WR	5-8	180	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Snellville, Ga. (Brookwood)
80	Dion Sims	TE	6-5	276	So.	Jr.	1L	Detroit, Mich. (Orchard Lake St. Mary's)
81	Brad Sonntag	WR	5-8	176	Sr.	Sr.-5	1L	Saginaw, Mich. (Nouvel Catholic Central)
48	Drew Stevens	TE	6-4	242	Jr.	Sr.	1L	Delaware, Ohio (Olentangy)
57	Johnathan Strayhorn +	DL	6-0	272	Sr.	Sr.-5	3L	Detroit, Mich. (Oak Park)
8	Lawrence Thomas	LB	6-3	275	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Detroit, Mich. (Renaissance)
64	Blake Treadwell +	OL	6-3	295	Jr.	Jr.	2L	East Lansing, Mich. (East Lansing)
19	AJ Troup	WR	6-2	209	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Minneapolis, Minn. (Wayzata)
16	Tommy Vento	QB	6-1	180	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Farmington Hills, Mich. (Harrison)
15	Trae Waynes	CB	6-0	165	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Kenosha, Wis. (Bradford)
98	Anthony Rashad White	NT	6-2	316	Jr.	Jr.	1L	Battle Creek, Mich. (Fort Scott CC)
32	Mitchell White	CB	5-11	180	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Livonia, Mich. (Stevenson)
26	RJ Williamson	S	5-10	182	Fr.	Fr.	HS	Middletown, Ohio (Dunbar)
99	Jerel Worthy	DT	6-3	310	Jr.	Sr.	2L	Huber Heights, Ohio (Wayne)

EXP. KEY – HS: High School; RS: Red-shirted; JC: Junior College; TR: Transfer; SQ: Squad Member; L: Letters Earned; +: Injured.



Johnny ADAMS 5

CB | 5-11 | 175 | JR. | 2L
AKRON, OHIO | BUCHTEL

CAREER NOTES: Fourth-year player is in his second season as a starter . . . two-time All-Big Ten selection (2010: second team-coaches; 2011: first team-coaches; second team-media) . . . starter at boundary corner after starting at field corner in 2010 . . . has 120 career tackles in 41 career games, including 27 starts . . . leads all active Spartans with 25 passes defended (eight interceptions, 17 PBUs) in his career . . . ranks among MSU's all-time leaders in interception return yards (fourth with 219) and interceptions (tied for 20th with eight).

2011 NOTES: All-Big Ten first-team selection by the coaches and second-team pick by the media . . . also an All-Big Ten selection by ESPN.com (first team) and Yahoo! Sports (second team) . . . has 49 tackles, including a career-high 4.0 for losses (35 yards) and 3.0 sacks (32 yards) . . . leads team and is tied for fifth in the Big Ten with nine passes defended (three interceptions, six pass break-ups) . . . tied for sixth in the Big Ten with three interceptions and his 141 interception return yards are third most in an MSU season and rank fifth in the FBS . . . finished 10th on the team with 112 production points during the regular season . . . earned honorable mention College Football Performance Awards Defensive Back of the Week accolades after his excellent all-around game in the win over Indiana: recorded an 86-yard interception return for a touchdown, the fourth-longest interception return in MSU history; compiled three tackles, including a 14-yard sack; also broke up a pass . . . had four tackles and returned an interception 30 yards in the first quarter at Iowa, setting up MSU's second touchdown in the Spartans' 37-21 victory over the Hawkeyes . . . compiled five tackles against Minnesota . . . recorded his first interception of the season at No. 13 Nebraska and returned it 25 yards, setting up an MSU field goal in the second quarter; also had five tackles against the Cornhuskers . . . tied his career high with seven tackles and also had a quarterback hurry in the win over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . registered four tackles, two pass break-ups and two quarterback hurries in MSU's fourth straight win over Michigan; his 10-yard sack of Denard Robinson on fourth-and-1 on the MSU 9-yard line late in the fourth quarter helped seal the Spartan victory . . . collected four tackles, including an 8-yard sack, at Ohio State . . . recorded two tackles and one pass break-up vs. Central Michigan . . . compiled five tackles, including one for a 3-yard loss, at Notre Dame . . . tied career highs with seven tackles and two pass break-ups in season opener against Youngstown State; had a season-best 24 production points against the Penguins.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Has 10 tackles in two previous bowl games . . . tied for third on the team against Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl with seven tackles . . . recorded three tackles in the 2009 Capital One Bowl vs. Georgia.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	7, three times (last vs. Wisconsin, 10/22/11)
Tackles for loss	1, eight times (last vs. Indiana, 11/19/11)
Sacks	1, three times (last vs. Indiana, 11/19/11)
Pass Break-ups	2, three times (last vs. Michigan, 10/15/11)
Interceptions	1, eight times (last vs. Indiana, 11/19/11)

ADAMS IN THE BIG TEN STATS

Passes Defended	T-5th (9)
Interceptions	T-6th (3)

ADAMS IN THE MSU CAREER RECORD BOOK

Interception Yards	4th (219)
Interceptions	T-20th (8)

ADAMS IN THE MSU SEASON RECORD BOOK

Interception Yards	3rd (141)

Adams' Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2008	12/2	15	6	21	2-2	0-0	2-40	4	0	0
2009	3/0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2010	13/13	34	16	50	2-3	0-0	3-38	7	1	1
2011	13/12	35	14	49	4-35	3-32	3-141	6	0	0
Career	41/27	84	36	120	8-40	3-32	8-219	17	1	1

Adams' 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	6	1	7	-	-	-	2	-	-
Florida Atlantic	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	4	1	5	1-3	-	-	-	-	-
Central Michigan	1	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Ohio State	3	1	4	1-8	1-8	-	-	-	-
Michigan	4	0	4	1-10	1-10	-	2	0	0
Wisconsin	5	2	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	4	1	5	-	-	1-25	-	-	-
Minnesota	2	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	3	1	4	-	-	1-30	-	-	-
Indiana	2	1	3	1-14	1-14	1-86	1	-	-
Northwestern	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	35	14	49	4-35	3-32	3-141	6	0	0

Denicos ALLEN 28

LB | 5-10 | 220 | SO. | 1L
HAMILTON, OHIO | HAMILTON

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player has made an immediate impact in his first year as a starter at Sam linebacker . . . has 96 tackles in 26 career games (3.8 avg.) . . . played in all 13 games as a red-shirt freshman in 2010 and made 18 tackles.

2011 NOTES: Named second-team All-Big Ten by the media; honorable mention selection by the coaches . . . named to Yahoo! Sports All-Big Ten second team . . . selected to the CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (first team) . . . leads the team with 10.0 sacks (64 yards), which ranks second in the Big Ten and tied for sixth most in an MSU single-season . . . also leads the team with 17.0 tackles for loss (80 yards), which ranks fourth in the Big Ten and tied for fifth most in an MSU single-season . . . ranks second on the team in tackles (78) and quarterback hurries (13) . . . ranked seventh in the Big Ten with 41 “impact” tackles (stops that limit opponents to gains of 2 yards or less, including sacks) during the regular season . . . led the defense with 259 production points during the regular season . . . recorded 20-plus production points in 10 of the 12 regular-season games . . . recipient of the Tommy Love Award on defense (team’s most improved player) . . . named National Linebacker of the Week by the College Football Performance Awards after recording a career-high 4.0 tackles for loss (16 yards) and 3.0 sacks (15 yards) in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin; it was the highest sack total by a Spartan since Trevor Anderson recorded three against Michigan in 2008, and the most tackles for loss in a game by a Spartan since Kevin Vickerson vs. Notre Dame in 2004; also tied a career high with nine tackles against the Badgers . . . compiled five tackles, including 2.0 for losses (9 yards) and a 7-yard sack, to go along with two quarterback hurries and a pass break-up in win at Northwestern . . . named Spartan Defensive Player of the Week after matching his career high with nine tackles in win over Indiana . . . tied a career high with nine tackles and had a pass break-up in victory at Iowa . . . had three tackles and two quarterback hurries against Minnesota . . . produced six stops at No. 13 Nebraska . . . compiled five tackles, including 1.5 sacks (11 yards), in victory over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . named Spartan Defensive Player of the Week after recording 29 production points and seven tackles, including 2.0 for losses (12 yards) and 1.5 sacks (11 yards), in MSU’s fourth-straight win over Michigan . . . collected 2.0 sacks (16 yards) and 2.5 tackles for loss (17 yards) in win at Ohio State; recorded four tackles overall against the Buckeyes . . . recorded five tackles, two quarterback hurries and his first career sack (4 yards) vs. Central Michigan . . . tallied seven tackles, including a team-high 2.5 tackles for loss (7 yards), at Notre Dame . . . made his first career start at Sam linebacker against Florida Atlantic . . . recorded a career-high nine tackles and 1.5 tackles for loss (4 yards) in the season opener against Youngstown State.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Recorded four tackles vs. Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	9, four times (last vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/11)
Tackles for loss	4.0, vs. Wisconsin (12/3/11)
Sacks	3.0, vs. Wisconsin (12/3/11)
Pass Break-ups	1, three times (last vs. Northwestern, 11/26/11)

ALLEN IN THE BIG TEN STATS

Sacks	2nd (10.0)
Tackles for loss	4th (17.0)

ALLEN IN THE MSU SEASON RECORD BOOK

Tackles for loss	T-5th (17.0)
Sacks	T-6th (10.0)

Allen’s Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	13/0	12	6	18	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0
2011	13/12	41	37	78	17-80	10-64	0-0	3	0	0
Career	26/12	53	43	96	18-82	10-64	0-0	3	1	0

Allen’s 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	2	7	9	1.5-4	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	4	3	7	2.5-7	-	-	1	-	-
Central Michigan	3	2	5	1-4	1-4	-	-	-	-
Ohio State	2	2	4	2.5-17	2-16	-	-	-	-
Michigan	3	4	7	2.0-12	1.5-11	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	3	2	5	1.5-11	1.5-11	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	0	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	3	6	9	-	-	-	1	-	-
Indiana	5	4	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northwestern	5	0	5	2-9	1-7	-	1	0	0
Wisconsin	9	0	9	4-16	3-15	-	-	-	-
Totals	41	37	78	17-80	10-64	0-0	3	0	0

Todd
ANDERSON

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FB | 6-2 | 265 | SR. | 1L
NAPOLEON, MICH. | NAPOLEON

CAREER NOTES: Fifth-year senior is in his first year as the starting fullback after moving over from the defensive line during spring practice . . . former walk-on was awarded a scholarship prior to the 2010 season.

2011 NOTES: Has five catches for 30 yards (6.0 avg.) . . . recipient of the Tommy Love Award on offense (team's most improved player) . . . scored his first career touchdown on a 2-yard reception from Kirk Cousins in the second quarter in the win over Minnesota; selected as a game captain against the Gophers . . . had a 21-yard reception at Notre Dame . . . made his first career start against Florida Atlantic . . . hauled in his first career reception (2 yards) against Youngstown State.

Anderson's Career Statistics - Offense

Year	G/GS	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2011	13/6	5	30	6.0	0	21	2.5

Edwin
BAKER

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RB | 5-9 | 210 | JR. | 2L
HIGHLAND PARK, MICH.
OAK PARK

CAREER NOTES: Explosive third-year player splits time at tailback along with Le'Veon Bell . . . ranks among MSU's all-time leaders in rushing yards (13th with 2,283), rushing attempts (13th with 456) and rushing touchdowns (tied for 17th with 19) . . . has six career 100-yard rushing games . . . All-Big Ten first-team selection as a sophomore in 2010 after ranking fourth in the Big Ten and 30th in the FBS in rushing with 1,201 yards (94.1 ypg.).

2011 NOTES: Second on the team in rushing with 655 yards on 164 carries (50.4 ypg.) and five touchdowns . . . gained 54 percent of his rushing yards (355 of 655) after contact . . . his 355 rushing yards after contact ranked seventh in the Big Ten during the regular season . . . also has five receptions for 60 yards (12.0 avg.) and one receiving touchdown . . . compiled 31 rushing yards on nine carries against Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship Game, including an 8-yard touchdown run in the first quarter . . . scored two rushing touchdowns and collected 34 yards on the ground on 10 carries against Indiana . . . had his first career touchdown reception with a diving 17-yard grab in the first quarter at Iowa that put MSU up 14-0 in the eventual 37-21 victory over the Hawkeyes; also rushed for 51 yards on 13 carries (3.9 avg.) . . . recorded his first 100-yard rushing game of the season and sixth of his career, with 26 carries for 167 yards and a touchdown against Michigan; in two career games against U-M, Baker has rushed 48 times for 314 yards (157.0 yards per game) and two TDs . . . collected 49 yards on 16 carries (3.1 avg.) vs. Central Michigan; named a game captain against the Chippewas . . . had nine carries for 50 yards (5.6 avg.), including a 9-yard touchdown run, against Florida Atlantic . . . rushed for 91 yards on 15 carries (6.1 avg.) in season opener against Youngstown State.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Has rushed for 111 yards (55.5 ypg.) in two bowl games . . . had 14 yards on 12 carries in the 2011 Capital One Bowl vs. Georgia . . . led MSU with 97 yards on the ground on 12 attempts, including a 46-yard touchdown run, in the 2010 Alamo Bowl vs. Texas Tech.

CAREER HIGHS

Carries	28, vs. Penn State (11/27/10)
Rushing Yards	183, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)
Rushing TDs	4, vs. Minnesota (11/6/10)

BAKER IN THE MSU CAREER RECORD BOOK

Rushing Yards	13th (2,283)
Rushing Attempts	13th (456)
Rushing TDs	T-17th (19)

BAKER'S 100-YARD GAMES (6)

Yds.	Opponent (Carries)	Date
183	Florida Atlantic (15)	9/11/10
179	Minnesota (27)	11/6/10
167	Michigan (26)	10/15/11
147	Michigan (22)	10/9/10
118	Penn State (28)	11/27/10
117	Western Michigan (17)	9/4/10

Baker's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	G/GS	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2009	8/1	85	427	5.0	1	46	53.4
2010	13/12	207	1201	5.8	13	80	92.4
2011	13/8	164	655	4.0	5	25	50.4
Career	34/21	456	2283	5.0	19	80	67.1

Baker's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2009	7	43	6.1	0	23
2010	3	22	7.3	0	13
2011	5	60	10.8	1	19
Career	15	125	8.3	1	23

Baker's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics - Rushing

Opponent	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	15	91	0	23
Florida Atlantic	9	50	1	13
Notre Dame	10	26	0	6
Central Michigan	16	49	0	8
Ohio State	12	36	0	12
Michigan	26	167	1	25
Wisconsin	11	15	0	7
Nebraska	10	38	0	11
Minnesota	8	20	0	11
Iowa	13	51	0	14
Indiana	10	34	2	10
Northwestern	15	47	0	12
Wisconsin	9	31	1	11
Totals	164	655	5	25

Le'Veon BELL

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RB | 6-2 | 237 | SO. | 1L
REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO
GROVEPORT MADISON

CAREER NOTES: Second-year player splits time at tailback along with Edwin Baker . . . also returns kicks . . . has rushed for 1,505 yards and 19 touchdowns in 26 career games . . . ranks ninth in MSU history in rushing average (5.53 avg.) and tied for 17th in rushing touchdowns (19). . . has four career 100-yard rushing games . . . as a true freshman in 2010, rushed for 605 yards and eight touchdowns and earned All-Big Ten Freshman honors by ESPN.com and Rivals.com.

2011 NOTES: Leads team and ranks ninth in the Big Ten in rushing with 900 yards on 165 carries (69.2 ypg.) . . . has started the last five games at tailback . . . honorable mention All-Big Ten selection by the coaches and media . . . named to the CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (honorable mention) . . . leads team and is fifth in the Big Ten with 11 rushing touchdowns . . . ranks 10th in the Big Ten in scoring (5.1 points per game) . . . has a team-best 10 rushes of 20-plus yards, which tied for second most in the Big Ten during the regular season . . . gained 48 percent of his rushing yards (429 of 900) after contact . . . his 429 rushing yards after contact ranked fifth in the Big Ten during the regular season . . . ranks second on the team in all-purpose yards with 1,159 (900 rushing, 228 receiving, 31 kick return) . . . third on the team with 30 receptions for 228 yards (7.6 avg.) . . . recipient of the team's Most Outstanding Underclass Back Award for offense . . . recorded his second 100-yard rushing game of the season in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin, collecting 106 yards on 18 carries (5.9 avg.), including a 6-yard touchdown . . . rushed for a game-high 86 yards, including a 7-yard TD run, on 16 carries (5.4 avg.) in victory at Northwestern . . . led MSU with a game-high 68 rushing yards and had one catch for 23 yards against Indiana . . . named Spartan Offensive Player of the Week after rushing for 112 yards on a career-high 20 carries, including a 25-yard touchdown, in victory at Iowa; also had two receptions for a career-high 49 receiving yards . . . named Spartan Co-Offensive Player of the Week after accounting for a career-high 165 all-purpose yards in win over Minnesota with two rushing touchdowns (1 yard and 35 yards); had 15 carries for 96 yards (6.4 avg.) and five receptions for 38 yards against the Gophers . . . led MSU with 58 yards rushing on 12 carries (4.8 avg.) at No. 13 Nebraska in his first career start and crossed the 1,000-yard rushing mark for his career; had 70 all-purpose yards against the Cornhuskers (58 rushing, 12 receiving) . . . had 114 all-purpose yards in the victory over No. 4 Wisconsin with a team-high 87 yards rushing on 16 carries (5.4 avg.) and four receptions for 27 yards . . . led team with 50 yards rushing on 14 carries and also had two catches for 17 yards in win at Ohio State . . . named Spartan Offensive Player of the Week after tying his career high with three rushing touchdowns and leading MSU with 81 yards on eight carries (10.1 avg.) vs. Central Michigan . . . had a career-high five receptions for 23 yards at Notre Dame . . . led MSU with 69 yards rushing, including a 2-yard TD run, in win over Florida Atlantic . . . ran for two touchdowns and 40 yards on nine carries in season opener against Youngstown State.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Rushed for 13 yards on four carries against Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl.

CAREER HIGHS

Carries	20, vs. Iowa (11/12/11)
Rushing Yards	141, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)
Rushing TDs	3, twice (last vs. Central Michigan, 9/24/11)
Receptions	5, twice (last vs. Minnesota, 11/5/11)
Receiving Yards	49, vs. Iowa (11/12/11)
Kick Return	27, vs. Wisconsin (10/2/10)

BELL IN THE BIG TEN STATS

Rushing TDs	5th (11)
Rushing	9th (69.2 ypg.)
Scoring	10th (5.1 ppg.)

BELL IN THE MSU CAREER RECORD BOOK

Rushing Avg. 9th (5.53)
Rushing TDs.................T-17th (19)

BELL'S 100-YARD GAMES (4)

Yds.	Opponent (Carries)	Date
141	Western Michigan (10)	9/4/10
114	Notre Dame (17)	9/18/10
112	Iowa (20)	11/12/11
106	Wisconsin (18)	12/3/11

Bell's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	G/GS	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2010	13/0	107	605	5.7	8	75	46.5
2011	13/5	165	900	5.5	11	35	69.2
Career	26/5	272	1505	5.5	19	75	57.9

Bell's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics - Rushing

Opponent	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	9	40	2	13
Florida Atlantic	14	69	1	22
Notre Dame	7	27	0	8
Central Michigan	8	81	3	30
Ohio State	14	50	0	11
Michigan	7	20	0	8
Wisconsin	16	87	0	32
Nebraska	12	58	0	11
Minnesota	15	96	2	35
Iowa	20	112	1	25
Indiana	9	68	0	21
Northwestern	16	86	1	20
Wisconsin	18	106	1	26
Totals	165	900	11	35

Bell's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2010	11	97	8.8	0	35
2011	30	228	7.6	0	45
Totals	41	325	7.9	0	45

Max BULLOUGH

40

LB | 6-3 | 245 | SO. | 1L
TRAVERSE CITY, MICH.
ST. FRANCIS

CAREER NOTES: Second-year player replaced four-year starter and two-time All-American Greg Jones at middle linebacker this season . . . has 109 career tackles in 26 games (4.2 avg.) . . . is a third-generation Spartan, following in the footsteps of his grandfather Hank (guard, 1952-54) and father Shane (linebacker, 1983-86) who played football at MSU . . . his grandfather Jim Morse (halfback, 1954-56) played for Coach Terry Brennan at Notre Dame . . . his uncles Chuck Bullough (MSU, linebacker, 1988-91), Bobby Morse (MSU, running back, 1983-86) and Jim Morse (Notre Dame, cornerback, 1976-77) played college football.

2011 NOTES: Second-team All-Big Ten pick by the coaches; honorable mention selection by the media . . . selected to the CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (second team) . . . leads team and ranks tied for 20th in the Big Ten with 86 tackles (6.6 avg.) . . . has started all 13 games at middle linebacker . . . has 7.0 tackles for loss (27 yards), including 3.5 sacks (22 yards) . . . also credited with nine quarterback hurries . . . his 250 production piont s ranked second on the team during the regular season . . . totaled 30-plus production points in four games . . . named to the CoSIDA Academic All-District V Team; owns a 3.93 GPA in finance . . . also an Academic All-Big Ten selection . . . collected six tackles and had two quarterback hurries in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin . . . tied for team high with eight tackles, including a 1-yard sack, to go along with a forced fumble and a pass break-up in win at Northwestern . . . led all players with a game-high 13 tackles, including a career-best 2.0 for losses (11 yards) with a 10-yard sack, in victory at Iowa; named a game captain against the Hawkeyes . . . had eight tackles, including one for a 2-yard loss, and a quarterback hurry in win over Minnesota . . . produced five tackles at No. 13 Nebraska . . . compiled four stops and a quarterback hit in the victory over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . registered eight tackles, including one for a loss (5 yards), and forced a fumble in the win over Michigan; totaled a career-best 36 production points against the Wolverines . . . led team with nine tackles, including a 7-yard sack, in win at Ohio State . . . had three tackles and an interception vs. Central Michigan . . . led team with four tackles in win over Florida Atlantic . . . recorded a career-high 15 tackles in the season opener against Youngstown State in his first career start; named Spartan Defensive Player of the Week.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Recorded two tackles vs. Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles......................15, vs. Youngstown State (9/2/11)
Tackles for loss.........2.0, vs. Iowa (11/12/11)
Sacks........................1, three times (last vs. Northwestern, 11/26/11)
Interception...............1, twice (last vs. Central Michigan, 9/24/11)

Bullough's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	13/0	9	14	23	1.5-5	0.5-4	1-20	0	0	0
2011	13/13	33	53	86	7-27	3.5-22	1-4	2	0	1
Career	26/13	42	67	109	8.5-32	4-26	2-24	2	0	1

Bullough's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	3	12	15	1-1	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central Michigan	0	3	3	-	-	1-4	-	-	-
Ohio State	4	5	9	1-7	1-7	-	-	-	-
Michigan	2	6	8	1-5	0.5-4	-	-	-	1
Wisconsin	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	1	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	3	5	8	1-2	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	8	5	13	2-11	1-10	-	-	-	-
Indiana	0	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Northwestern	5	3	8	1-1	1-1	-	1	-	1
Wisconsin	3	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	33	53	86	7-27	3.5-22	1-4	2	0	1

Larry CAPER 22

RB | 5-11 | 223 | JR. | 2L
BATTLE CREEK, MICH.
BATTLE CREEK CENTRAL

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player sees time at tailback . . . has rushed for 728 yards and nine touchdowns in 33 career games.

2011 NOTES: Fourth on the team in rushing with 116 yards on 30 carries (3.9 avg.) and one touchdown . . . seventh on the team with 10 receptions for 86 yards (8.6 avg.) and one touchdown . . . Academic All-Big Ten selection for the second-straight year . . . did not play the last two games vs. Northwestern and Wisconsin due to injury . . . recorded 16 rushing yards on five carries against Indiana . . . did not play against Minnesota (injury) . . . left the Nebraska game with an injury after the first kickoff return and did not return . . . rushed for 52 yards on 11 carries (4.7 avg.) and had a 15-yard touchdown reception against Central Michigan . . . had a career-high four receptions for 25 yards at Notre Dame . . . rushed for 27 yards on nine carries against Florida Atlantic; named a game captain against the Owls . . . accounted for 59 all-purpose yards (37 receiving, 22 rushing) in the season opener against Youngstown State, including a 6-yard TD run in the second quarter.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Has rushed for 26 yards on 12 carries in two bowl games . . . had 25 yards rushing on 11 attempts vs. Texas Tech in the 2010 Alamo Bowl . . . gained 1 yard on one carry against Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl.

CAREER HIGHS

Carries	16, twice (last vs. Northwestern, 10/17/09)
Rushing Yards	95, vs. Illinois (10/10/09)
Rushing TDs	2, twice (last vs. Michigan, 10/3/09)
Receiving Yards	44, vs. Illinois (10/10/09)
Receptions	4, vs. Notre Dame (9/17/11)

Caper's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	G/GS	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2009	12/5	120	468	3.9	6	23	39.0
2010	11/0	38	144	3.8	2	19	14.3
2011	10/0	30	116	3.9	1	16	11.6
Career	33/5	188	728	3.8	9	23	22.1

Caper's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2009	3	47	15.7	0	30
2010	12	133	11.1	1	35
2011	10	86	8.6	1	15
Totals	25	266	10.6	2	35

Caper's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics - Rushing

Opponent	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	4	22	1	10
Florida Atlantic	9	27	0	8
Notre Dame	0	0	0	0
Central Michigan	11	52	0	16
Ohio State	1	-1	0	-
Michigan	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	0	0	0	0
Nebraska	0	0	0	0
Minnesota		-DNP-INJURED-		
Iowa	0	0	0	0
Indiana	5	16	0	8
Northwestern		-DNP-INJURED-		
Wisconsin		-DNP-INJURED-		
Totals	30	116	1	16

Garrett CELEK

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TE | 6-5 | 252 | SR.-5 | 2L
CINCINNATI, OHIO | LASALLE

CAREER NOTES: Fifth-year senior and two-year letterman has played in 37 career games, including 12 starts . . . has been healthy his senior season after missing the last 11 games of 2010 with a separated shoulder . . . has 14 career receptions for 135 yards and three touchdowns.

2011 NOTES: Has six starts (Central Michigan, Ohio State, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Indiana) when MSU lines up in a two tight end set . . . has three catches for 35 yards . . . hauled in a career-long 21-yard reception vs. Indiana . . . caught an 8-yard touchdown pass from Kirk Cousins in the win over Florida Atlantic . . . recipient of the team's Jim Adams Award on offense (unsung hero) . . . graduated in December with a degree in packaging.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Has seen action in three bowl games . . . recorded an 8-yard reception against Georgia in the 2009 Capital One Bowl.

Celek's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2008	12/5	6	50	8.3	1	18	4.2
2009	10/0	3	33	11.0	1	14	3.3
2010	2/1	2	17	8.5	0	15	8.5
2011	13/6	3	35	11.7	1	21	3.2
Career	37/12	14	135	9.6	3	21	3.9

Dan CONROY

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K | 5-10 | 190 | JR. | 1L
WHEATON, ILL.
WHEATON WARRENVILLE SOUTH

CAREER NOTES: Fourth-year player is in his second season as the starting placekicker . . . has made 81 percent of his field goals (30-for-37) and 99 percent of his PATs (92-for-93) in his career . . . ranks among MSU's all-time leaders in PATs (eighth with 92), field goals (ninth with 30), and scoring (tied for 14th with 182 points) . . . his 81 percent field-goal accuracy ranks first in the MSU record books and 13th among active FBS players . . . his 14 consecutive field goals made to open his career marked the best start for a placekicker in MSU history; it also ranked as the second-longest streak in MSU history overall (record: 15 by Brett Swenson in 2008) . . . was a first-team All-Big Ten selection in 2010 . . . has made 11 field goals from 40-plus yards in his career, including three 50-yarders.

2011 NOTES: Honorable mention All-Big Ten selection by the media . . . ranks second in the Big Ten in kick scoring (7.1 pg.) and tied for third in the Big Ten in field goals made (15) . . . is 15-for-21 (.714) in field-goal attempts and 47-for-47 in PATs . . . his career-high 15 field goals rank tied for 11th most in an MSU season . . . his 47 PATs are third most in an MSU season . . . made a 25-yard field goal and was 4-for-4 in PATs vs. Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship game . . . kicked a 25-yard field goal and was 4-for-4 in PATs at Northwestern . . . tied his season high with 13 points in victory over Indiana (career-high seven PATs and two field goals: 21 and 33 yards) . . . scored a season-best 13 points in win at Iowa, making a season-high three field goals (22, 41, 48 yards) and all four of his PATs . . . made all four of his PATs and a 40-yard field goal against Minnesota . . . connected on a 28-yard field goal at No. 13 Nebraska, but missed a 52-yard attempt . . . hit all three of his PATs in the victory over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . made all four of his PATs in the win over Michigan . . . tied his career high with a 50-yard field goal in the fourth quarter at Ohio State that gave MSU a 10-0 lead in its 10-7 victory over the Buckeyes; named Spartan Special Teams Co-Player of the Week . . . made all six of his PATs and also a 23-yard field goal vs. Central Michigan . . . connected on field goals of 40 and 35 yards at Notre Dame . . . was 2-of-3 in field-goal attempts and 5-for-5 in PATs against Florida Atlantic; tied his career long with a 50-yarder in the second quarter, and also made a 41-yarder . . . made all four PATs in the season opener but missed a 27-yard field-goal attempt.

CAREER HIGHS

Extra Points Made	7, vs. Indiana (11/19/11)
Extra Points Att.	7, vs. Indiana (11/19/11)
Field Goals Made	4, vs. Illinois (10/16/10)
Field Goals Att	4, twice (last vs. Iowa, 11/12/11)
Points	14, vs. Illinois (10/16/10)
Field Goal	50, three times (last vs. Ohio State, 10/1/11)

CONROY IN THE BIG TEN STATS

Kick Scoring	2nd (7.1 ppg.)
Field Goals	T-3rd (15)
Scoring	6th (7.1 ppg.)

CONROY IN THE MSU CAREER RECORD BOOK

PATs	8th (92)
Field Goals	9th (30)
Scoring	T-14th (182)

CONROY IN THE MSU SEASON RECORD BOOK

PATs	3rd (47)
Field Goals	T-11th (15)
Scoring	17th (92)

Conroy's Career Stats

Scoring	PAT (Pct.)	FG (Pct.)	PTS	LG
2009	0-0 (.000)	1-1 (1.000)	3	43
2010	45-46 (.978)	14-15 (.933)	87	50
2011	47-47 (1.000)	15-21 (.714)	92	50
Career	92-93 (.989)	30-37 (.811)	182	50

FG Accuracy	-20	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
2009	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1
2010	1-1	2-2	7-8	3-3	1-1	14-15
2011	0-0	6-8	3-3	4-5	2-5	15-21
Career	1-1	8-10	10-11	8-9	3-6	30-37

Conroy's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	PATs	FGs	LG	PTS
Youngstown State	4-4	0-1	-	4
Florida Atlantic	5-5	2-3	50	11
Notre Dame	1-1	2-2	40	7
Central Michigan	6-6	1-1	23	9
Ohio State	1-1	1-2	50	4
Michigan	4-4	0-0	-	4
Wisconsin	3-3	0-0	-	3
Nebraska	0-0	1-2	28	3
Minnesota	4-4	1-1	40	7
Iowa	4-4	3-4	48	13
Indiana	7-7	2-2	33	13
Northwestern	4-4	1-1	25	7
Wisconsin	4-4	1-2	25	7
Totals	47-47	15-21	50	92

Kirk
COUSINS

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QB | 6-3 | 205 | SR. | 3L
HOLLAND, MICH.
HOLLAND CHRISTIAN

CAREER NOTES: Only the second three-time captain in MSU history (Robert McCurry, 1946-48) . . . is the winningest quarterback in Spartan history (26 victories) . . . has compiled a 26-12 record (.684) as the starting quarterback, including a 21-5 mark the past two seasons . . . is MSU's career record holder in passing touchdowns (65) and completions (696) . . . his 65 career passing TDs are 10th most in Big Ten history . . . has completed 64.6 percent of his passes (696-for-1078), which currently ranks first in MSU history and third Big Ten history . . . his 148.3 passing efficiency rating is also first in the MSU record book and fourth in Big Ten history . . . also ranks among MSU's career leaders in passing yards (second with 8,831 yards), pass attempts (second with 1,078) and total offense (second with 8,681 yards) . . . needs just 102 yards to become MSU's all-time leader in passing yards (record: Jeff Smoker with 8,932 yards from 2000-03) . . . ranks among NCAA FBS active leaders in quarterback winning percentage (seventh at .684), quarterbacks wins (ninth with 26), passing efficiency (12th with 148.3 rating), passing yards (14th with 8,831), touchdown passes (16th with 65), completions (16th with 696), total offense (17th with 8,681 yards) and completion percentage (18th at .646) . . . has thrown for more than 200 yards in a school-record 25 games and more than 300 yards in four games . . . his 200.7 yards per game passing ranks third in MSU history . . . tied a school record by throwing a TD pass in 16 consecutive games, spanning from the 2009 Northwestern game to the 2010 Iowa game (tied for school record along with Drew Stanton, 2005-06).

2011 NOTES: Earned second-team All-Big Ten accolades by the coaches; honorable mention selection by the media . . . honorable mention All-American by SI.com . . . named one of three finalists for the Chicago Tribune Silver Football Award (Big Ten's best player) . . . has completed 65 percent of his passes for 3,016 yards, 24 touchdowns and seven interceptions . . . has thrown at least one touchdown pass in 12 of 13 games this season . . . ranks among the Big Ten leaders in touchdown passes (second with 24), passing (third with 232.0 ypg.), passing efficiency (third with 151.4 rating) and total offense (sixth with 227.2 ypg.) . . . his 24 touchdown passes this season are a school record (previous record: Drew Stanton with 22 in 2005) . . . also ranks among MSU's single-season leaders in pass completions (second with 240), 200-yard passing games (tied for second with 10), passing yards (third with 3,016), and pass attempts (third with 369) . . . averaging a career-high 232.0 yards per game passing this season . . . CoSIDA Academic All-District V selection . . . named one of 10 finalists for the Lowe's Senior CLASS Award and the Manning Award . . . one of 16 semifinalists for the Davey O'Brien Quarterback Award . . . named one of 13 finalists for the second year in a row for the Wuerrfel Trophy, a national award that honors the college football player who best combines exemplary community service with outstanding academic and athletic achievement . . . named to the 2011 National Football Foundation National Scholar-Athlete Class, including an $18,000 post-graduate scholarship and was one of 16 finalists for the Campbell Trophy, which recognizes the top scholar-athlete in the nation . . . posted a 3.68 GPA in kinesiology and graduated in December . . . one of just 16 players in program history to earn Academic All-Big Ten honors four-straight years . . . named MSU's Big Ten Sportsmanship Award honoree . . . has connected on 70-of-116 third-down throws (.603) for 975 yards, with 46 of those completions resulting in first downs and 11 for touchdowns; those marks on third down rank among the FBS leaders (third in yards, tied for fifth in touchdowns, 19th in passing efficiency) . . . his 12 completions of 25-plus yards on third down are the most in the nation . . . is even more effective on fourth down, completing 7-of-10 passes for three touchdowns (tied for third in FBS) . . . in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin, completed 22-of-30 passes for 281 yards and tied his career high with three touchdowns while setting MSU's single-season passing touchdown record in the process; it also marked Cousins' 25th career 200-yard passing game, extending his school record . . . became MSU's all-time leader in completions with his 22 in the Wisconsin game, giving him 696 for his career, passing Jeff Smoker (685 from 2000-03) . . . tied the Spartan single-season record with a 30-yard TD pass to B.J. Cunningham on fourth-and-inches on the first play of the second quarter, cutting the Badger lead to 21-14 . . . set the MSU single-season TD record in the second quarter with his 23rd TD of the season; Keith Nichol caught a 3-yard completion

and lateraled the ball to Cunningham, who proceeded to run it in from 7 yards out . . . his third TD pass in the Big Ten Championship Game was a 44-yarder to Cunningham in the third quarter . . . in the regular-season finale at Northwestern, became MSU's all-time leader in passing touchdowns with his 62nd career TD, a 29-yard completion to Cunningham in the fourth quarter; also threw a 33-yard TD pass to Cunningham in the third quarter; completed 14-of-20 passes for 214 yards against the Wildcats and set an MSU record with his 24th career 200-yard passing game . . . in his final game at Spartan Stadium, tied a school record with his 23rd career 200-yard passing game, completing 16-of-23 throws for 272 yards in the 55-3 win over Indiana on Senior Day; also tied a career high with three touchdown passes, connecting with Cunningham (63 yards, 7 yards) and Keshawn Martin (47 yards) . . . tied his career high with three touchdowns and completed 18-of-31 throws for 260 yards - the fourth-most by a Spartan quarterback against Iowa - in the 37-21 victory at Kinnick Stadium . . . completed 23-of-34 throws for 296 yards and two touchdowns in win over Minnesota; on the final drive of the first half, Cousins went 6-of-8 passing for 66 yards, including a 2-yard TD toss to fullback Todd Anderson on a first-and-goal play . . . named Big Ten Co-Offensive Player of the Week and one of the Manning Award "Stars of the Week" after completing 22-of-31 passes for 290 yards and three touchdowns in the win over No. 4 Wisconsin, including the game-winning, 44-yard Hail Mary pass to Keith Nichol on the game's final play . . . became the winningest quarterback in school history with the victory over Wisconsin, picking up his 22nd victory as a starter . . . in addition to the TD to Nichol, completed a 35-yard TD to Cunningham and a 15-yard TD to Martin against the Badgers . . . battled windy conditions, with gusts up to 40 mph, and completed 13-of-24 passes for 120 yards and two touchdowns to lead MSU past Michigan for the fourth-straight year; is the first Spartan starting quarterback to defeat Michigan three straight times . . . threw for 250 yards and one touchdown on 20-of-32 passes in win at Ohio State . . . was 13-of-22 passing for 213 yards and one touchdown vs. Central Michigan . . . recorded career highs in pass attempts (53) and completions (34) at Notre Dame; the 53 attempts were the fifth most in school history, while the 34 completions were second most; threw for 329 yards against the Fighting Irish, the most ever by a Spartan quarterback vs. Notre Dame . . . was 16-for-20 passing with two touchdowns and 183 yards in the win over Florida Atlantic and was named the Spartan Offensive Player of the Week . . . opened the season with an efficient showing against Youngstown State, completing 18-of-22 passes for 222 yards and one touchdown.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Has seen action in three bowl games, with two starts (2010 Alamo Bowl vs. Texas Tech; 2011 Capital One Bowl vs. Alabama) . . . has completed 54 percent of his passes (27-of-50) in his three bowl games for 376 yards, one touchdown and three interceptions . . . was 10-of-18 passing for 120 yards and one interception vs. Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl . . . completed 13-of-17 passes for 220 yards, including a 48-yard TD strike to Keshawn Martin in the second quarter, and two interceptions vs. Texas Tech in the 2010 Alamo Bowl; his 220 passing yards matched the fifth-highest single-game total in Spartan bowl history . . . in one series against Georgia in the second quarter of the 2009 Capital One Bowl, completed 4-of-5 throws for 36 yards.

CAREER HIGHS

Pass Attempts	53, vs. Notre Dame (9/17/11)
Pass Completions	34, vs. Notre Dame (9/17/11)
Passing Yards	353, vs. Western Michigan (11/7/09)
Passing TDs	3, eight times (last vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/11)
Rushing Yards	75, vs. Michigan (10/3/09)

COUSINS IN THE BIG TEN STATS

TD Passes	2nd (24)
Passing	3rd (232.0 ypg.)
Passing Efficiency	3rd (151.4 rating)
Total Offense	6th (227.2 ypg.)

COUSINS IN THE BIG TEN CAREER RECORD BOOK

Passing Efficiency	3rd (148.3 rating)
Completion Pct	4th (.646)
TD Passes	10th (65)

COUSINS IN THE MSU CAREER RECORD BOOK

TD Passes	1st (65)
Completions	1st (696)
200-yd. Passing Games	1st (25)
Completion Pct.	1st (.646)
Passing Efficiency	1st (148.3 rating)
Passing Yards	2nd (8,831)
Total Offense	2nd (8,681)
Pass Attempts	2nd (1,078)
Passing ypg.	3rd (200.7 ypg.)

COUSINS IN THE MSU SEASON RECORD BOOK

TD Passes	1st (24)
Completions	2nd (240)
200-yd. Passing Games	T-2nd (10)
Passing Yards	3rd (3,016)
Total Offense	3rd (2,954)
Pass Attempts	3rd (369)
Completion Pct.	4th (.650)
Passing ypg.	6th (232.0 ypg.)

COUSINS' TOP SINGLE-GAME PERFORMANCES

Yds.	Opponent (Comp.-Att.)	Date
353	Western Michigan (22-25)	11/7/09
331	Northwestern (29-43)	10/23/10
329	Notre Dame (34-53)	9/17/11
302	Notre Dame (23-35)	9/19/09
296	Minnesota (23-34)	11/5/11

Cousins' Career Stats

Year	G/GS	COMP	ATT	INT	PCT	YDS	YPG	TD	LG
2008	5/0	32	43	1	.744	310	62.0	2	32
2009	13/12	198	328	9	.604	2680	206.2	19	73
2010	13/13	226	338	10	.669	2825	217.3	20	55
2011	13/13	240	369	7	.650	3016	232.0	24	69
Career	44/38	696	1078	27	.646	8831	200.7	65	73

Cousins' 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	COMP	ATT	INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	18	22	0	.818	222	1	55
Florida Atlantic	16	20	0	.800	183	2	39
Notre Dame	34	54	1	.642	329	1	25
Central Michigan	13	22	1	.591	213	1	54
Ohio State	20	32	2	.625	250	1	52
Michigan	13	24	0	.542	120	2	16
Wisconsin	22	31	0	.710	290	3	44
Nebraska	11	27	1	.407	86	0	20
Minnesota	23	34	0	.676	296	2	69
Iowa	18	31	0	.581	260	3	67
Indiana	16	23	0	.696	272	3	63
Northwestern	14	20	1	.700	214	2	46
Wisconsin	22	30	1	.733	281	3	44
Totals	240	369	7	.650	3016	24	69

B.J. CUNNINGHAM 3

WR | 6-2 | 215 | SR. | 3L
WESTERVILLE, OHIO
WESTERVILLE SOUTH

CAREER NOTES: Ranks first in MSU history in receptions (211) and receiving yards (3,020) and second in TD receptions (25) in 50 career games, including 41 starts . . . ranks seventh in Big Ten history in receptions (211) . . . has 10 career 100-yard receiving games, which is third most in MSU history . . . among active FBS players, ranks ninth in receiving yards (3,020), 11th in TD catches (25) and 13th in receptions (211).

2011 NOTES: Voted Most Valuable Player by his teammates . . . second-team All-Big Ten selection (coaches and media) . . . named to ESPN.com and Yahoo! Sports All-Big Ten first team . . . named All-American by Phil Steele (fourth team) and SI.com (honorable mention) . . . tied for first in the Big Ten with 12 touchdown receptions, which is tied for third most in an MSU single-season . . . ranks third in the Big Ten and 17th in the FBS in receiving yards (95.4 ypg.) . . . ranks fourth in the Big Ten in receptions (72; 5.5 pg.) . . . has a career-high 1,240 receiving yards, which ranks fourth most in an MSU season . . . is one of just five Spartan receivers to record 1,000 receiving yards in a season (Charles Rogers, Devin Thomas, Plaxico Burress, Courtney Hawkins) . . . his 413 yards after the catch (YAC) ranked second on the team and fifth in the Big Ten during the regular season . . . his 72 catches are currently second most in an MSU season; needs just eight catches to become MSU's single-season leader in receptions (record: 79 by Devin Thomas in 2007) . . . has a school-record eight 100-yard receiving games; that mark is also tied for first in the Big Ten this season . . . fifty-three of his 72 receptions (74 percent) have resulted in either a first down or a touchdown . . . ranked second in the Big Ten with 17 "clutch" catches during the regular season (receptions on third down or fourth down that resulted in TD or first down) . . . named National Wide Receiver of the Week by the College Football Performance Awards after recording a career-high three touchdown receptions in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin . . . had five catches for 115 yards against the Badgers, establishing a school record with his eighth 100-yard receiving game of the season . . . scored his first TD in the Big Ten Championship Game on a 30-yard pass from Kirk Cousins on a fourth-and-inches play in the second quarter; for his second TD, caught a lateral from Keith Nichol at the 7-yard line and ran it in for a touchdown; on his third touchdown, a 44-yarder in the third quarter, he became MSU's all-time leader in receiving yards, passing Andre Rison . . . caught six passes for 120 yards and two touchdowns (33 and 29 yards) at Northwestern . . . had six receptions for 132 yards and two touchdowns (63 yards and 7 yards) on Senior Day vs. Indiana . . . had two touchdown receptions at Iowa (6 yards in first quarter; 22 yards in second quarter) and four catches for 46 yards overall in win over the Hawkeyes . . . had three receptions for 104 yards against Minnesota, including a season-long 69-yard reception from Cousins in the first quarter helped set up MSU's first touchdown . . . saw his streak with at least one reception in 41 consecutive regular-season games come to an end at Nebraska . . . had a game-high 102 receiving yards on six catches, including a 35-yard TD reception on a fourth-and-2 play in the second quarter, in the victory over No. 4 Wisconsin; also had a diving catch on a key two-point conversion in the fourth quarter . . . had 154 receiving yards - the most ever by a Spartan against Ohio State - on nine catches, including a 33-yard touchdown, in the 10-7 win over the Buckeyes at Ohio Stadium; named Spartan Offensive Player of the Week for his performance at OSU and was also selected as a game captain against the Buckeyes . . . had three catches for 67 yards vs. Central Michigan, including a 54-yard grab in the first quarter that set up MSU's first touchdown . . . recorded career highs in receptions (12) and yards (158) at Notre Dame; the 12 catches tied for fourth most in a game by a Spartan wide receiver (record: 14 by Matt Trannon vs. Eastern Michigan in 2006); the 158 receiving yards were the most for a Spartan since Blair White had 186 yards against Northwestern in 2009, and the second most for a Spartan wide receiver against Notre Dame (Charles Rogers, 175 yards in 2002) . . . earned honorable mention National College Football Performance Awards Wide Receiver of the Week accolades for his outing against the Fighting Irish . . . became MSU's all-time receptions leader with an acrobatic 7-yard catch in the first quarter against Florida Atlantic; had five catches for 73 yards total vs. the Owls . . . recorded then-career highs in receptions (9) and receiving yards (130) in the season opener against Youngstown State, including an 18-yard TD catch in the third quarter; named Spartan Offensive Player of the Week.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Broke his foot during bowl practice and did not play against Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl . . . caught six passes for 52 yards against Georgia in the 2009 Capital One Bowl.

CAREER HIGHS

Receptions	12, vs. Notre Dame (9/17/11)
Receiving Yards	158, vs. Notre Dame (9/17/11)
TD Catches	3, vs. Wisconsin (12/3/11)

CUNNINGHAM IN THE BIG TEN STATS

TD Receptions	T-1st (12)
100-yd. receiving games	T-1st (8)
Receiving Yards	3rd (95.4 ypg.)
Receptions	4th (5.5 pg.)

CUNNINGHAM IN THE MSU CAREER RECORD BOOK

Receptions	1st (211)
Receiving Yards	1st (3,020)
TD Receptions	2nd (25)
100-yd. receiving games	3rd (10)

CUNNINGHAM IN THE MSU SEASON RECORD BOOK

100-yd. receiving games	1st (8)
Receptions	2nd (72)
TD Receptions	T-3rd (12)
Receiving Yards	4th (1,240)

CUNNINGHAM'S 100-YARD GAMES (10)

Yds.	Opponent (Rec.)	Date
158	Notre Dame (12)	9/17/11
154	Ohio State (9)	10/1/11
132	Indiana (6)	11/19/11
130	Youngstown State (9)	9/2/11
120	Northwestern (6)	11/26/11
115	Wisconsin (5)	12/3/11
113	Northwestern (8)	10/23/10
104	Minnesota (3)	11/5/11
102	Wisconsin (6)	10/22/11
101	Notre Dame (7)	9/18/10

Cunningham's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2008	13/12	41	528	12.9	0	52	40.6
2009	12/10	48	641	13.4	4	73	53.4
2010	12/7	50	611	12.2	9	48	50.9
2011	13/12	72	1240	17.2	12	69	95.4
Career	50/41	211	3020	14.3	25	73	60.4

Cunningham's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	9	130	1	55
Florida Atlantic	5	73	0	23
Notre Dame	12	158	0	25
Central Michigan	3	67	0	54
Ohio State	9	154	1	52
Michigan	4	39	0	16
Wisconsin	6	102	1	35
Nebraska	0	0	0	0
Minnesota	3	104	0	69
Iowa	4	46	2	22
Indiana	6	132	2	67
Northwestern	6	120	2	33
Wisconsin	5	115	3	44
Totals	**72**	**1240**	**12**	**69**

Darqueze DENNARD

31

CB | 5-11 | 185 | SO. | 1L
DRY BRANCH, GA.
TWIGGS COUNTY

CAREER NOTES: Second-year player is in his first full season as the starting field corner . . . has 49 tackles in 16 career games, including 12 starts . . . saw action in six games as a true freshman in 2010, including two starts (Illinois, Northwestern); sat out the last five games of 2010 with a knee injury.

2011 NOTES: Honorable mention All-Big Ten selection (media) . . . has recorded 38 tackles (3.8 avg.) in 10 games of action . . . tied for fifth on the team with four passes defended (one interception, three pass break-ups) . . . recorded a career-high seven tackles, including one for a 5-yard loss, in Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin . . . did not play the last two games of the regular season (Indiana, Northwestern) due to injury . . . recorded one tackle at Iowa in limited action due to injury . . . sat out the Minnesota game with an injury . . . posted six stops at No. 13 Nebraska . . . had six tackles in the victory over No. 4 Wisconsin; also blocked a field goal in the second quarter . . . had two tackles and a pass break-up in the win over Michigan . . . recorded his first career interception on an acrobatic catch in the second quarter at Ohio State; also had four tackles against the Buckeyes . . . had two tackles and a pass break-up at Notre Dame . . . tallied six tackles and 21 production points in the season opener against Youngstown State.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles......................	7, vs. Wisconsin (12/3/11)
Tackles for loss.........	1, three times (last vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/11)
Inteceptions..............	1, vs. Ohio State (10/1/11)
Pass Break-ups........	1, three times (last vs. Michigan, 10/15/11)

Dennard's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	6/2	8	3	11	2-4	1-2	0-0	0	1	1
2011	10/10	27	11	38	1-5	0-0	1-0	3	0	0
Career	16/12	35	14	49	3-9	1-2	1-0	3	1	1

Dennard's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	4	2	6	-	-	-	1	-	-
Florida Atlantic	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	2	0	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Central Michigan	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ohio State	3	1	4	-	-	1-0	-	-	-
Michigan	0	2	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Wisconsin	4	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	5	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota				-DNP-INJURED-					
Iowa	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana				-DNP-INJURED-					
Northwestern				-DNP-INJURED-					
Wisconsin	5	2	7	1-5	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	27	11	38	0-0	0-0	1-0	3	0	0

Denzel DRONE

52

DE | 6-2 | 262 | SO. | 1L
PLANT CITY, FLA. | PLANT CITY

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player sees time in the rotation at defensive end . . . has 25 tackles (4.0 for losses) in 25 career games, including six starts.

2011 NOTES: Has seen action in every game, including two starts (Central Michigan, Wisconsin) . . . has 12 tackles, including 3.0 for losses (8 yards) . . . ranked 11th on the team with 71 production points during the regular season . . . recovered a fumble at the MSU 3-yard line to prevent a Northwestern scoring drive in the second quarter; the Spartans took the ensuing possession 97 yards to give them the lead for good in the 31-17 victory over the Wildcats; also had two tackles and a pass break-up at Northwestern . . . recorded his first career interception and collected two tackles, including one for a 5-yard loss, in victory over Indiana . . . had a 2-yard tackle for loss against Minnesota . . . had a half tackle for loss at No. 13 Nebraska . . . forced an intentional grounding call against Russell Wilson of Wisconsin in the end zone and was credited with a half sack on the play, which resulted in a safety; credited with three tackles overall against the Badgers . . . collected two tackles and had two quarterback hurries in the season opener against Youngstown State.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles......................	3, vs. Northwestern (10/23/10)
Tackles for loss.........	1, three times (last vs. Indiana, 11/19/11)
Sacks........................	1, vs. Wisconsin (10/2/10)

Drone's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	12/4	4	9	13	1-22	1-22	0-0	1	0	1
2011	13/2	4	9	12	3-8	0.5-1	1-0	1	1-0	0
Career	25/6	8	18	25	4-33	1.5-23	1-0	2	1-0	1

Kurtis DRUMMOND

27

S | 6-1 | 196 | FR. | RS
MASURY, OHIO | HUBBARD

2011 NOTES: Second-year player is listed as the back-up free safety behind Trenton Robinson . . . ranks fourth on the team with two interceptions . . . has recorded 16 tackles in 11 games of action . . . did not play the last two games of the regular season due to injury (Indiana, Northwestern) . . . compiled three stops against Minnesota . . . had three tackles, including a 10-yard sack of Devin Gardner, in MSU's fourth straight win over Michigan . . . registered two tackles at Ohio State . . . recorded his second interception of the season vs. Central Michigan . . . notched his first career interception at Notre Dame and returned it 34 yards, setting up an MSU field goal . . . produced three tackles and forced a fumble against Florida Atlantic that led to Jeremy Langford's 37-yard fumble return for a touchdown . . . redshirted in 2010.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles......................	3, three times (last vs. Minnesota, 11/5/11)
Pass Break-ups........	1, twice (last vs. Notre Dame, 9/17/11)
Interception..............	1, twice (last vs. Central Michigan, 9/24/11)
Sacks.......................	1, vs. Michigan, 10/15/11

Drummond's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2011	11/0	8	8	16	1-10	1-10	2-34	0	0	0

Drummond's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	1
Notre Dame	1	0	1	-	-	1-34	-	-	-
Central Michigan	0	0	0	-	-	1-0	-	-	-
Ohio State	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	3	0	3	1-10	1-10	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana				-DNP-INJURED-					
Northwestern				-DNP-INJURED-					
Wisconsin	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	8	8	16	1-10	1-10	2-34	0	0	1

Kyler ELSWORTH

41

LB | 6-1 | 215 | SO. | 1L
GOODRICH, MICH. | GOODRICH

2011 NOTES: Third-year player sees time on special teams and is listed third on the depth chart at Sam linebacker . . . former walk-on was awarded a scholarship prior to the 2011 season . . . leads team with 14 tackles on special teams . . . has collected 36 tackles overall, including 2.5 for losses (11 yards) . . . recorded a 3-yard tackle for loss and had two stops overall against Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship Game . . . had two tackles and two quarterback hurries vs. Indiana . . . compiled seven stops against Minnesota, including a half tackle for loss (3 yards) . . . produced a career-high 10 tackles and forced a fumble at No. 13 Nebraska; saw extended playing time against the Cornhuskers due to injury to starter Chris Norman . . . named Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week after blocking a punt in the second quarter against Wisconsin that resulted in a touchdown; had three tackles in the win over the Badgers, including a key third-down stop against James White on third-and-2, which led to a blocked field goal by the Spartans on the next play . . . compiled five tackles against Central Michigan . . . had three stops against Florida Atlantic . . . presented the Jim Adams Award (unsung hero) in 2010 after being selected the Scout Team Defensive Player of the Year.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles......................	10, vs. Nebraska (10/29/11)
Tackles for loss.........	1.0, twice (last vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/11)

Elsworth's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	13/0	7	5	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2011	13/0	14	22	36	2.5-11	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Career	26/0	21	27	48	2.5-11	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Elsworth's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central Michigan	2	3	5	1-5	-	-	-	-	-
Ohio State	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	3	7	10	-	-	-	-	-	1
Minnesota	2	5	7	0.5-3	0.5-3	-	-	-	-
Iowa	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northwestern	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	1	1	2	1-3	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	14	22	36	2.5-11	0.5-3	0-0	0	0	1

Fou FONOTI

51

OT | 6-4 | 300 | JR. | JC
LAKEWOOD, CALIF.
CERRITOS COLLEGE

CAREER NOTES: Junior college transfer from Cerritos (Calif.) College is in his first season at Michigan State . . . cousin of former Spartan offensive tackle Siitupe and defensive tackle Domata Peko.

2011 NOTES: Has started the last 10 games at right tackle . . . ranks third on the team with 31 knockdowns, including 10 dominators . . . played 659 snaps during the regular season and did not allow a sack . . . started his first career game as a Spartan at right tackle vs. Central Michigan . . . became the starter at right tackle following Skyler Burkland's season-ending injury at Notre Dame in the first half . . . for the first time in his career, saw time at left tackle against Florida Atlantic . . . in his Spartan debut, saw action at right tackle against Youngstown State.

Joel FOREMAN

67

OG | 6-4 | 315 | SR. I 3L
HIGHLAND, MICH. | MILFORD

CAREER NOTES: Three-year letterman has played in 51 career games, including 48 starts at left guard . . . with a start in the Outback Bowl, will tie Eric Gordon (linebacker, 2007-10) for the most starts in school history with 49 . . . also has started more games (48) than any other offensive lineman in school history (previous record: 44 starts by Shane Hannah, 1991-94, and Tony Mandarich, 1985-88) . . . is MSU's first four-year starter on the offensive line since Shane Hannah (1991-94).

2011 NOTES: Named All-American by Yahoo! Sports (second team), Phil Steele (third team) and SI.com (honorable mention) . . . All-Big Ten first-team selection by coaches and media . . . also named first-team All-Big Ten by Yahoo! Sports and ESPN.com . . . is MSU's first All-Big Ten first-team honoree on the offensive line since Sean Poole (tackle) in 2004 . . . elected a captain by his teammates . . . selected to the CoSIDA Academic All-District V Team; posted a 3.33 GPA in criminal justice and graduated in December . . . one of just 16 players in program history to earn Academic All-Big Ten honors four straight years . . . recipient of the team's Up Front Award (most outstanding offensive lineman) . . . ranked second on the team with 34 knockdowns, including 10 dominators . . . played 706 snaps during the regular season and surrendered only a half sack . . . named Spartan Offensive Lineman of the Week for his role in the 55-3 win over Indiana on Senior Day; recorded a 3-yard rush in the third quarter in his final career play at Spartan Stadium and left the field after the carry, saluting the Spartan helmet at midfield on his way to the sideline . . . named Spartan Offensive Lineman of the Week against Wisconsin . . . named Spartan Offensive Co-Lineman of the Week against Florida Atlantic as the Spartans rushed for two touchdowns and 188 yards . . . had his streak of 22 consecutive starts come to an end in the season opener against Youngstown State as he volunteered his starting position for cancer survivor Arthur Ray Jr. . . . was featured on Preseason Watch Lists for the Lombardi Award and the Outland Trophy . . . ranked the No. 1 offensive guard in the Big Ten by ESPN.com.

Bennie FOWLER

13

WR | 6-1 | 215 | SO. I 1L
BLOOMFIELD, MICH.
DETROIT COUNTRY DAY

CAREER NOTES: Third-year playmaker has only seen action in five games this season due to a foot injury . . . appeared in all 13 games as a red-shirt freshman in 2010 and ranked sixth on the team with 573 all-purpose yards.

2011 NOTES: Has two catches for 20 yards and one rush for 6 yards in five games . . . had two receptions for 20 yards against Minnesota . . . recovered a blocked punt in the end zone for a touchdown in the second quarter against Wisconsin, giving the Spartans a 23-14 lead in MSU's eventual 37-31 victory over the fourth-ranked Badgers . . . saw his first action of the season in the Michigan game; had one rush for 6 yards against the Wolverines.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Led MSU with a career-high 161 all-purpose yards in the 2011 Capital One Bowl against Alabama . . . caught two passes for 56 yards against the Crimson Tide, including a 49-yard TD reception from Keith Nichol in the fourth quarter; also averaged 26.3 yards on four kick returns (105 yards).

CAREER HIGHS

Catches	3, vs. Iowa (10/30/10)
Receiving Yards	56, vs. Alabama (1/1/11)
Rushing Yards	22, vs. Northwestern (10/23/10)
Kickoff Return Yards	105, vs. Alabama (1/1/11)
All-Purpose Yards	161, vs. Alabama (1/1/11)

Fowler's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	G/GS	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2010	13/1	14	175	12.5	1	49	13.5
2011	5/0	2	20	10.0	0	18	4.0
Career	18/1	16	195	12.2	1	49	10.8

Fowler's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2010	7	62	8.9	1	22	4.8
2011	1	6	6.0	0	6	1.2
Career	8	68	8.5	1	22	3.8

Fowler's Career Statistics - Kick Returns

Year	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2010	15	336	22.4	0	39

Dan FRANCE

59

OT | 6-6 | 315 | SO. I 1L
NORTH ROYALTON, OHIO
NORTH ROYALTON

2011 NOTES: In his first year on the offensive line, third-year player has started the last 12 games at left tackle . . . ranks fourth on the team with 29 knockdowns , including six dominators . . . named Spartan Offensive Lineman of the Week for his role in the victory at Iowa . . . made his first career start at left tackle in the win over Florida Atlantic . . . made the transition from defensive tackle to offensive tackle during the team's bowl practices in December 2010 . . . impressed the coaches during spring practice and entered preseason camp as the projected starter.

Corey FREEMAN

55

DE | 6-2 | 240 | JR. I 1L
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS, OHIO
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player sees playing time at defensive end, primarily as a designated pass rusher . . . has 11 tackles, including 3.5 for losses, in 20 games of action in his career . . . recorded six tackles in his first season of action as a sophomore in 2010.

2011 NOTES: Has five tackles . . . registered a 3-yard tackle for loss against Indiana . . . recorded two tackles against Florida Atlantic, including a half sack (4 yards).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	2, twice (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/10/11)
Tackles for loss	1, three times (last vs. Indiana, 11/19/11)

Freeman's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	11/0	5	1	6	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2011	9/0	2	3	5	1.5-7	0.5-4	0-0	0	0	0
Career	20/0	7	4	11	3.5-10	0.5-4	0-0	0	0	0

Jeremy GAINER

47

DE | 6-1 | 228 | SO. I SQ
DETROIT, MICH. | CLARENCEVILLE

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player sees time on special teams . . . has 12 tackles in 14 career games.

2011 NOTES: Has played in all 13 games . . . has recorded 11 tackles and forced two fumbles . . . Academic All-Big Ten selection . . . compiled a career-high three tackles and had a quarterback hurry vs. Indiana . . . tallied two tackles at Iowa and forced a fumble on a kickoff late in the second quarter against the Hawkeyes that led to an MSU touchdown . . . posted two stops against Central Michigan . . . forced a fumble and recorded two tackles at Notre Dame.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	3, vs. Indiana (11/19/11)

Gainer's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	1/0	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2011	13/0	6	5	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	2
Career	14/0	6	6	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	2

Steve GARDINER

50

LB | 6-1 | 222 | JR. I 2L
DUBLIN, OHIO | COFFMAN

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player sees time at Sam linebacker and on special teams . . . has 42 tackles in 32 career games.

2011 NOTES: Has 17 tackles, including eight on special teams . . . has started three games (Youngstown State, Nebraska, Minnesota) . . . did not see action at Iowa (injured) . . . started against Minnesota and No. 13 Nebraska, filling in for an injured Chris Norman . . . tallied a career-high five tackles in the victory over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . recorded three tackles at Ohio State . . . recovered a fumble on a punt at Notre Dame . . . in his first career start, recorded three tackles in the season opener against Youngstown State.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	5, vs. Wisconsin (10/22/11)
Tackles for loss	1, vs. Minnesota (11/6/10)

Gardiner's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2009	7/0	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2010	13/0	6	15	21	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2011	12/3	7	10	17	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	0
Career	32/3	16	26	42	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	0

William GHOLSTON

2

DE | 6-7 | 280 | SO. I 1L
DETROIT, MICH.
SOUTHEASTERN

CAREER NOTES: Second-year player is in his first year as a starting defensive end . . . in 22 career games, has 76 tackles (3.5 avg.), including 12.0 for losses . . . registered 13 tackles in 10 games as a true freshman in 2010 before suffering a season-ending shoulder injury vs. Minnesota.

2011 NOTES: Named to All-Big Ten second team (coaches and media) . . . also named second-team All-Big Ten by Yahoo! Sports . . . selected to the CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (second team) . . . leads Spartan defensive linemen with 63 tackles (5.3 avg.) . . . finished eighth in the Big Ten with 40 "impact" tackles (stops that limit opponents to gains of 2 yards or less, including sacks) during the regular season . . . also leads the team in quarterback hits (18) and hurries (14) . . . second on the team and tied for 11th in the Big Ten with 11.0 tackles for loss (34 yards) . . . has 3.0 sacks (20 yards) . . . ranked third on the team with 209 production points during the regular season . . . recipient of the team's Danzinger Award for defense (most outstanding Detroit-area player) . . . had four tackles against Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship Game . . . registered three tackles, including one for a 1-yard loss, and had a quarterback hurry against Indiana . . . compiled 29 tackles in a two-game span (14 vs. Minnesota; 15 vs. Nebraska), the most in a two-game stretch by a Spartan since Greg Jones in 2009; it also marked the first time since 2000 (Josh Shaw) that a Spartan defensive lineman recorded double-figure tackles in back-to-back games . . . recorded a game-high 14 tackles, including 1.5 for losses (5 yards), and forced a fumble, in the win over Minnesota . . . earned honorable mention College Football Performance Awards Defensive Lineman of the Week accolades after recording a career-high 15 tackles, including 1.5 for losses (7 yards) and one sack (5 yards), at No. 13 Nebraska; his 15 tackles against the

Cornhuskers were the most by a Spartan defensive lineman since Josh Shaw had 17 tackles against Wisconsin in 2000 . . . suspended for the Wisconsin game for violating the Big Ten Sportslike Conduct Agreement during the game against Michigan . . . registered three tackles, including 1.5 for losses (5 yards), in MSU's fourth-straight win over Michigan . . . earned honorable mention National College Football Performance Awards Defensive Lineman of the Week accolades after recording a career-high 3.0 tackles for loss (12 yards), including one sack (8 yards), in MSU's 10-7 win at Ohio State; had five tackles overall, two QB hurries, a pass break-up and a career-high 34 production points against the Buckeyes . . . registered one tackle and two quarterback hurries vs. Central Michigan . . . compiled four tackles, including a half tackle for loss, at Notre Dame . . . in his first career start at defensive end, recorded six tackles, including 2.0 for losses (4 yards), in the season opener against Youngstown State.

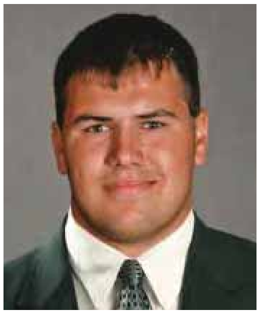
CAREER HIGHS
Tackles......................15, vs. Nebraska (10/29/11)
Tackles for loss.........3, vs. Ohio State (10/1/11)
Sacks........................1, twice (last vs. Nebraska, 10/29/11)

Gholston's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	10/0	3	10	13	1-3	0.5-2	0-0	1	0	0
2011	12/11	29	34	63	11-34	3-20	0-0	1	0	1
Career	22/11	32	44	76	12-37	3.5-24	0-0	2	0	1

Gholston's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	1	5	6	2-4	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	3	1	4	0.5-0	-	-	-	-	-
Central Michigan	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ohio State	5	0	5	3-12	1-8	-	1	-	-
Michigan	1	2	3	1.5-5	0.5-4	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin				-DNP-SUSPENDED-					
Nebraska	4	11	15	1.5-7	1.0-5	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	5	9	14	1.5-5	0.5-3	-	-	-	1
Iowa	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	2	1	3	1-1	-	-	-	-	-
Northwestern	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	3	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	29	34	63	11-34	3-20	0	1	0	1



Matt GIAMPAPA

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SN | 6-2 | 222 | FR. I HS
JACKSON, TENN.
UNIV. SCHOOL OF JACKSON

2011 NOTES: First-year player is in his first season as the starting long snapper . . . has seen action in all 13 games . . . one of 19 starting freshman (true and redshirt) long snappers in the FBS . . . recorded a tackle at Iowa.

TyQuan HAMMOCK

49

LB | 6-0 | 230 | SO. I 1L
FORT WAYNE, IND.
BISHOP LUERS

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player sees time on special teams . . . has 27 tackles in 26 career games . . . made the transition from fullback back to his natural position, linebacker, in the spring . . . saw action in all 13 games as a red-shirt freshman in 2010 and had a team-best 16 tackles on special teams.

2011 NOTES: Has played in all 13 games, primarily on special teams . . . has recorded 11 tackles, including five on kickoff returns . . . tallied three stops against Indiana . . . posted a career-high five tackles and forced a fumble against Central Michigan.

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles......................5, vs. Central Michigan (9/24/11)

Hammock's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	13/0	7	9	16	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2011	13/0	5	6	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1
Career	26/0	12	15	27	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1

Nick HILL

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RB | 5-7 | 180 | FR. I RS
CHELSEA, MICH. | CHELSEA

2011 NOTES: Second-year player returns kicks . . . ranks fifth in the Big Ten with his 26.1-yard kickoff return average . . . his 938 kick return yards are fourth most in an MSU single-season and already rank 10th most all-time at MSU . . . has five returns of 40-plus yards and nine returns of 30-plus yards . . . BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team honorable mention selection . . . fifth on the team with 113 rushing yards on 29 carries (3.9 avg.) . . . fourth on the team in all-purpose yards with 1,068 (938 kick return, 113 rushing, 17 punt return) . . . had 118 kick return yards on four returns (29.5 avg.), including a 39-yarder, in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin . . . in his only return against Indiana, recorded a career-long 67-yard return that set up an MSU touchdown; also picked up 30 rushing yards on five carries (6.0 avg.) to total 97 all-purpose yards

vs. the Hoosiers and was named Spartan Special Teams Player of the Week . . . averaged 27.6 yards on three returns, including a 43-yarder, in victory at Iowa . . . had 86 yards on four returns (21.5 avg.) against Minnesota . . . collected 119 kick return yards on four returns (29.8 avg.) at No. 13 Nebraska, including a 62-yarder . . . recorded 119 kick return yards (19.8 avg.) against No. 4 Wisconsin . . . averaged 32.3 yards on kick returns (129 yards on four returns) at Notre Dame, including a 42-yarder . . . recorded 92 all-purpose yards in win over Florida Atlantic, including career highs in rushing yards (56) and carries (14) . . . accounted for 48 all-purpose yards (41 kick return, 7 rush) in the season opener against Youngstown State . . . redshirted in 2010 after missing the last 11 games with a knee injury.

CAREER HIGHS

Carries	14, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/2/11)
Rushing Yards	56, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/2/11)
Kick Return Yards	129, vs. Notre Dame (9/17/11)
Kickoff Return	67, vs. Indiana (11/19/11)

HILL IN THE MSU SEASON RECORD BOOK

Kick Return Yards	4th (938)

Hill's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	G/GS	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2010	1/0	1	2	2.0	0	2	2.0
2011	13/0	29	113	3.9	0	11	10.3
Career	14/0	30	115	3.8	0	11	9.6

Hill's Career Statistics - Kick Returns

Year	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2011	36	938	26.1	0	67

Hill's Career Statistics - Punt Returns

Year	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2011	5	17	3.4	0	8

Hill's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics - Kick Returns

Opponent	NO.	YDS	AVG.	LG
Youngstown State	2	41	20.5	9
Florida Atlantic	1	31	31.0	31
Notre Dame	4	129	32.3	42
Central Michigan	2	41	20.5	21
Ohio State	0	0	0.0	-
Michigan	2	41	20.5	21
Wisconsin	6	119	19.8	25
Nebraska	4	119	29.8	62
Minnesota	4	86	21.5	36
Iowa	3	83	27.6	43
Indiana	1	67	67.0	67
Northwestern	3	64	21.3	29
Wisconsin	4	118	29.5	39
Totals	36	938	26.1	67

Travis
JACKSON

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C | 6-3 | 275 | FR. I RS
NEW ALBANY, OHIO
ST. FRANCIS DESALES

2011 NOTES: Is in his first season as the starting center . . . named Freshman All-American by Phil Steele (first team) and CollegeFootballNews.com (second team) . . . named to ESPN.com, Yahoo! Sports and BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team . . . Academic All-Big Ten selection . . . has started nine of the last 10 games at center . . . has been credited with 20 knockdowns . . . named Lineman of the Week for his performance in the win at Northwestern . . . missed the Minnesota game due to an injury . . . made his first career start at center against Central Michigan after missing the first three games of the season with an ankle injury . . . spent a majority of spring practice and preseason camp competing against Blake Treadwell for the starting job at center . . . redshirted in 2010.

Jairus
JONES

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S | 6-1 | 209 | SO. I 1L
TAMPA, FLA. | WHARTON

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player has 26 tackles in 17 career games . . . listed No. 2 on the depth chart at strong safety, behind Isaiah Lewis.

2011 NOTES: Tore his Achilles in the second-to-last spring practice and missed the first eight games of the season . . . has 11 tackles in five games of action . . . tied his career high with five tackles vs. Indiana . . . had three stops at Iowa and forced a fumble at the MSU 8-yard line with 2:53 remaining in the game, which sealed the Spartans' first victory at Iowa since 1989 . . . returned to action for the Minnesota game.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	5, twice (last vs. Indiana, 11/19/11)

Jones' Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	12/0	9	6	15	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2011	5/0	6	5	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1
Career	17/0	15	11	26	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1

Taiwan
JONES

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LB | 6-3 | 234 | FR. I HS
NEW BALTIMORE, MICH.
ANCHOR BAY

2011 NOTES: First-year player sees action on special teams and is the back-up at Star linebacker behind Chris Norman . . . has 18 tackles . . . recorded a career-high four tackles and a pass break-up against Indiana . . . compiled three stops each against Central Michigan and Florida Atlantic.

Jeremy LANGFORD

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CB | 5-11 | 205 | FR. I RS
WAYNE, MICH. | JOHN GLENN

2011 NOTES: Second-year player sees action on special teams . . . also listed third on the depth chart at boundary corner . . . made the position switch from running back to cornerback during preseason camp . . . has played in all 13 games and has four tackles and two fumble recoveries . . . recorded a career-high three tackles, including a 5-yard sack, in the win over Indiana . . . recovered a fumble on a kickoff in the second quarter at Iowa, which led to a Michigan State touchdown . . . recovered a fumble and ran it back 37 yards for a touchdown in the victory over Florida Atlantic, marking MSU's first fumble return for a touchdown since 2009.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	3, vs. Indiana (11/19/11)
Tackles for loss	1, vs. Indiana (11/19/11)
Sacks	1, vs. Indiana (11/19/11)

Langford's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2011	13/0	2	2	4	1-5	1-5	0-0	0	2-37	0

Isaiah LEWIS

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S | 5-11 | 195 | SO. I 1L
INDIANAPOLIS, IND. | BEN DAVIS

CAREER NOTES: Second-year player is in his first year as the starting strong safety . . . has 86 career tackles and four interceptions in 26 games, including 14 starts . . . named to Rivals.com's Big Ten All-Freshman Team in 2010.

2011 NOTES: Second-team All-Big Ten selection (coaches and media) . . . named to Yahoo! Sports All-Big Ten first team . . . selected to the CollegeFootballNews.com All-Sophomore Team (second team) . . . has started all 13 games at strong safety . . . tied for Big Ten lead and ranks tied for 19th in the nation with four interceptions . . . one of 11 players in the FBS this season to return two interceptions for touchdowns (37-yarder vs. Central Michigan, 39-yarder vs. Michigan) . . . tied for fourth on the team with 71 tackles (5.5 avg.), including 2.5 for losses (5 yards) . . . second on the team with seven passes defended (4 INTs, 3 PBUs) . . . ranked fifth on the team with 147 production points during the regular season . . . recipient of the team's Most Outstanding Underclass Back Award for defense . . . had five tackles at Northwestern . . . compiled four stops and a pass break-up against Indiana . . . registered five tackles and a pass break-up in victory at Iowa . . . recorded a career-high 12 tackles and broke up a pass against Minnesota . . . had six stops at No. 13 Nebraska . . . compiled six tackles, including one for a 2-yard loss, and had an interception in the victory over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . sealed the win over Michigan with a 39-yard interception return for a touchdown late in the fourth quarter; also had six tackles and a quarterback hurry against the Wolverines . . . recorded eight tackles in MSU's 10-7 victory at Ohio State . . . ran an interception back 37 yards for a touchdown in the second quarter vs. Central Michigan; also had three tackles, including one for a 2-yard loss, against the Chippewas . . . registered nine tackles at Notre Dame, including a half tackle for loss . . . recorded his first career interception and returned it 13 yards in the season opener against Youngstown State; also had three tackles against the Penguins.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Saw action but did not record a tackle in the 2011 Capital One Bowl vs. Alabama.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	12, vs. Minnesota (11/5/11)
Tackles for loss	1, twice (last vs. Wisconsin, 10/22/11)
Interceptions	1, four (last vs. Wisconsin, 10/22/11)
Pass Break-ups	1, three times (last vs. Indiana, 11/19/11)

LEWIS IN THE BIG TEN STATS

Interceptions	T-1st (4)

Lewis' Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	13/1	6	9	15	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2011	13/13	33	38	71	2.5-5	0-0	4-89	3	0	0
Career	26/14	39	47	86	2.5-5	0-0	4-89	3	0	0

Lewis' 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	0	3	3	-	-	1-13	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	5	4	9	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-
Central Michigan	1	2	3	1-2	-	1-37	-	-	-
Ohio State	4	4	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	1	5	6	-	-	1-39	-	-	-
Wisconsin	3	3	6	1-2	-	1-0	-	-	-
Nebraska	3	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	6	6	12	-	-	-	1	-	-
Iowa	2	3	5	-	-	-	1	-	-
Indiana	2	2	4	-	-	-	1	-	-
Northwestern	4	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	33	38	71	2.5-5	0-0	4-89	3	0	0

Brian LINTHICUM 88

TE | 6-5 | 245 | SR.-5 I 2L
ST. LOUIS, MO. | CLEMSON

CAREER NOTES: Fifth-year senior is a very athletic player who has the ability to make plays down field . . . in 51 collegiate games, including 30 starts, has 73 catches for 821 yards (11.2 avg.) and six touchdowns . . . in three years at Michigan State after transferring from Clemson, has played in 38 games, including 25 starts, and has 62 receptions for 745 yards (12.0 avg.) and three touchdowns.

2011 NOTES: Named second-team All-Big Ten by the coaches; honorable mention selection by the media . . . fourth on the team with 24 receptions for 249 yards (10.4 avg.) . . . recipient of the MSU Football Players Association's Community Service & Outreach Award . . . caught three passes for 31 yards at Northwestern . . . named National Tight End of the Week by the John Mackey Award and the College Football Performance Awards after recording career highs in receptions (5) and receiving yards (71) in win at Iowa . . . caught two passes for 14 yards against Minnesota . . . had two catches for 16 yards at No. 13 Nebraska . . . hauled in three receptions for 58 yards in victory over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . had two catches for 22 yards in the win over Michigan . . . named a game captain for the Notre Dame game.

CAREER HIGHS

Catches	5, vs. Iowa (11/12/11)
Receiving Yards	71, vs. Iowa (11/12/11)
TD Catches	1, six times (last vs. Northern Colorado, 9/25/10)

Linthicum's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	REC	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2007*	13/5	11	76	6.9	3	15	5.8
2008			-DNP-				
2009	12/7	20	266	13.3	2	27	22.2
2010	13/6	18	230	12.8	1	34	17.7
2011	13/12	24	249	10.4	0	28	19.2
Career	51/30	73	821	11.2	6	34	19.6

** at Clemson*

Linthicum's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	2	11	0	7
Florida Atlantic	0	0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	8	0	8
Central Michigan	1	5	0	5
Ohio State	0	0	0	0
Michigan	2	22	0	15
Wisconsin	3	58	0	25
Nebraska	2	16	0	8
Minnesota	2	14	0	8
Iowa	5	71	0	28
Indiana	2	12	0	7
Northwestern	3	31	0	15
Wisconsin	1	1	0	1
Totals	24	249	0	28

Tony LIPPETT 14

CB/WR | 6-2 | 189 | FR. I RS
DETROIT, MICH. | CROCKETT

CAREER NOTES: Second-year player is listed as the back-up at field corner, behind Darqueze Dennard . . . also listed on the depth chart at X receiver and sees time on special teams . . . redshirted last season.

2011 NOTES: Has played in all 13 games, including four starts at cornerback (Nebraska, Minnesota, Indiana, Northwestern) . . . BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team honorable mention selection . . . has 18 tackles . . . second on the team with five pass break-ups . . . also has four catches for 44 yards (11.0 avg.) . . . recorded a career-high five tackles and three pass break-ups in win at Northwestern . . . compiled four stops, including a half tackle for loss, while starting against Indiana . . . at Iowa, had three tackles, broke up a pass, and recovered a fumble late in the fourth quarter that sealed MSU's 37-21 victory over the Hawkeyes; played a majority of the game at cornerback following a first quarter injury to Darqueze Dennard . . . earned the start against Minnesota, filling in for injured starter Darqueze Dennard . . . made his first career start at cornerback at No. 13 Nebraska; had two tackles against the Cornhuskers . . . hauled in three catches for 29 yards against Central Michigan and also broke up a pass . . . in his career debut, played at both cornerback and wide receiver against Youngstown State; had one reception for 15 yards.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	5, vs. Northwestern (11/26/11)
Pass Break-ups	3, vs. Northwestern (11/26/11)
Catches	3, vs. Central Michigan (9/24/11)
Receiving Yards	29, vs. Central Michigan (9/24/11)

Lippett's Career Statistics - Defense

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2011	13/4	9	9	18	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	5	1-15	0

Lippett's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	G/GS	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2011	13/0	4	44	11.0	0	15	3.4

Keshawn MARTIN

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WR | 5-11 | 189 | SR. I 3L
INKSTER, MICH. | JOHN GLENN

CAREER NOTES: Electrifying fourth-year player is in his second season as a starting wide receiver . . . also returns punts . . . three-year letterman ranks second in MSU history in punt return yards (656), eighth in kick return yards (1,085), 11th in all-purpose yards (3,968), 12th in receptions (123), 17th in receiving yards (1,679) and tied for 17th in touchdown pass receptions (10) . . . has appeared in 47 games, including 15 starts . . . averaging 8.8 yards per carry in his career (62 carries for 548 yards) . . . has been a part of 17 total touchdowns in his career (10 receptions; three rush; two punt returns; one pass; one kick return) . . . has accounted for TDs in five different ways in his career (rushing, receiving, passing, punt return and kick return), joining Florida International's T.Y. Hilton, Toledo's Eric Page, and Western Kentucky's Darrius Brooks as the only active players in the FBS to accomplish that feat . . . is one of just three Spartans in school history, along with Derrick Mason and Bill Simpson, to return two punts for touchdowns (74 yards vs. Wisconsin in 2010; 57 yards vs. Northwestern in 2011) . . . has completed 7-of-8 passes in his career for 140 yards and two touchdowns (317.0 passing efficiency rating) . . . over the last four seasons, leads the team with 59 plays of 20-plus yards and 17 plays of 40-plus yards.

2011 NOTES: Earned honorable mention All-Big Ten accolades by the coaches . . . named to Yahoo! Sports All-Big Ten second team as a punt returner . . . second on the team in receptions (62) and receiving yards (742); both of those marks represent career highs . . . his 445 yards after the catch (YAC) led the team and ranked third in the Big Ten during the regular season . . . third on the team in all-purpose yards with 1,149 (742 receiving; 271 punt return; 121 rushing; 15 kick return) . . . ranks second in the Big Ten and 15th in the FBS in punt returns (11.8 avg.) . . . also ranks fifth in the Big Ten in receptions (4.8 pg.) and 10th in receiving yards (57.1 ypg.) . . . second on the team with four TD receptions . . . recorded a career-high nine receptions for 115 yards and had 153 all-purpose yards against Wisconsin the Big Ten Championship Game . . . totaled 122 all-purpose yards in win at Northwestern, including a 57-yard punt return for a touchdown in the second quarter and a 46-yard reception that set up another score earlier in the quarter; named College Football Performance Awards National Punt Returner of the Week . . . on Senior Day vs. Indiana, accounted for a season-high 182 all-purpose yards and tied a career high with eight catches for 99 yards; also collected a season-high 64 punt return yards, including a 30-yarder; scored touchdowns on a 47-yard TD reception in the first quarter and a 19-yard rushing TD in the second quarter . . . named to the Paul Hornung Award Weekly Honor Roll and was named the Spartan Offensive Player of the Week for his performance against the Hoosiers . . . led MSU with 87 receiving yards, including a 67-yard catch, on four receptions (21.8 avg.) in victory at Iowa; also had a 20-yard punt return that set up a second quarter MSU touchdown . . . hauled in seven receptions for 77 yards against Minnesota . . . led MSU with five catches for 58 yards and had 94 all-purpose yards at No. 13 Nebraska . . . compiled 90 all-purpose yards in victory over No. 4 Wisconsin (five catches for 41 yards; one rush for 34 yards; one kick return for 15 yards); had a 34-yard rushing TD in the second quarter and caught a 15-yard TD pass in the fourth quarter . . . caught three passes for 31 yards, including touchdowns of 10 and 13 yards, in the win over Michigan; also had three carries for 20 yards (6.7 avg.) against the Wolverines . . . had five receptions for 45 yards at Ohio State . . . caught five passes for 32 yards at Notre Dame . . . led MSU with 107 all-purpose yards against Florida Atlantic; had seven catches for 72 yards and surpassed the 1,000-yard receiving mark for his career, and also ran back his only punt return for 35 yards . . . had two receptions for 28 yards and rushed for 11 yards on two carries in the season opener against Youngstown State . . . was featured on the watch list for the Paul Hornung Award, presented to college football's most versatile player.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: In three bowl games, has 292 all-purpose yards (149 kick return, 127 receiving, 15 punt return, 1 rushing), including seven catches . . . had 56 all-purpose yards (41 receiving, 15 punt return) and three catches in the 2011 Capital One Bowl against Alabama . . . accounted for 238 all-purpose yards in the 2010 Alamo Bowl against Texas Tech, the third-highest single-game total in Spartan bowl history . . . his 149 kickoff return yards against the Red Raiders rank second in MSU bowl history . . . accounted for two touchdowns in the Alamo Bowl, scoring on a 48-yard pass from Kirk Cousins in the second quarter and throwing an 8-yard pass to Blair White in the third quarter . . . hauled in four catches overall for 86 yards against Texas Tech . . . rushed three times for -2 yards in the 2009 Capital One Bowl against Georgia.

CAREER HIGHS

Catches	9, vs. Wisconsin (12/3/11)
Receiving Yards	139, vs. Wisconsin (9/26/09)
TD Catches	2, twice (last vs. Michigan, 10/15/11)
Carries	4, vs. Western Michigan (11/7/09)
Rushing Yards	84, vs. Minnesota (10/31/09)
Kickoff Return Yards	176, vs. Minnesota (10/31/09)
Kickoff Return	93, vs. Minnesota (10/31/09)
Punt Return Yards	83, vs. Wisconsin (10/2/10)
Punt Return	74, vs. Wisconsin (10/2/10)
All-Purpose Yards	284, vs. Minnesota (10/31/09)

MARTIN IN THE BIG TEN STATS

Punt Return Yards	2nd (11.8 avg.)
Receptions	5th (4.8 pg.)
Receiving Yards	10th (57.1 ypg.)

MARTIN IN THE MSU CAREER RECORD BOOK

Punt Return Yards	2nd (656)
Kick Return Yards	8th (1,085)
All-Purpose Yards	11th (3,968)
Receptions	12th (123)
Receiving Yards	17th (1,679)
TD Receptions	T-17th (10)

MARTIN IN THE MSU SEASON RECORD BOOK

Receptions	9th (62)
Punt Return Yards	10th (271)

MARTIN'S 100-YARD GAMES (2)

Yds.	Opponent (Rec.)	Date
139	Wisconsin (4)	9/26/09
115	Wisconsin (9)	12/3/11

Martin's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	G/GS	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2008	10/0	11	132	12.0	0	42	13.2
2009	13/2	18	411	22.8	5	91	31.6
2010	11/5	32	394	12.3	1	42	35.8
2011	13/8	62	742	12.0	4	67	57.1
Totals	47/15	123	1679	13.7	10	91	35.7

Martin's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2008	9	51	5.7	0	25	5.1
2009	18	219	12.2	1	84	16.8
2010	18	157	8.7	0	31	14.3
2011	17	121	7.1	2	34	9.3
Totals	62	548	8.8	3	84	11.7

Martin's Career Statistics - Kick Returns

Year	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2008	2	50	25.0	0	27
2009	23	665	28.9	1	93
2010	20	355	17.8	0	47
2011	1	15	15.0	0	15
Totals	46	1085	23.6	1	93

Martin's Career Statistics - Punt Returns

Year	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2008	3	1	0.3	0	7
2009	21	156	7.4	0	26
2010	16	228	14.2	1	74
2011	23	271	11.8	1	57
Totals	63	656	10.4	1	74

Martin's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics - Receiving

Opponent	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	2	28	0	14
Florida Atlantic	7	72	0	39
Notre Dame	5	32	0	13
Central Michigan	0	0	0	0
Ohio State	5	45	0	14
Michigan	3	31	2	13
Wisconsin	5	41	1	15
Nebraska	5	58	0	20
Minnesota	7	77	0	25
Iowa	4	87	0	67
Indiana	8	99	1	47
Northwestern	2	57	0	46
Wisconsin	9	115	0	28
Totals	62	742	4	67

Martin's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics - Punt Returns

Opponent	NO.	YDS	AVG.	LG
Youngstown State	2	5	2.5	2
Florida Atlantic	1	35	35.0	35
Notre Dame	0	0	0.0	0
Central Michigan	1	7	7.0	7
Ohio State	5	18	3.6	7
Michigan	1	13	13.0	13
Wisconsin	0	0	0.0	0
Nebraska	3	31	10.3	15
Minnesota	1	11	11.0	11
Iowa	2	18	9.0	20
Indiana	5	64	12.8	30
Northwestern	1	57	57.0	57
Wisconsin	1	12	12.0	12
Totals	23	271	11.8	57

Martin's Career Touchdowns (17)

Yards	Type	Opponent
30	Pass (to White)	Notre Dame 2009
15	Reception (Nichol)	Wisconsin 2009
91	Reception (Nichol)	Wisconsin 2009
93	Kick Return	Minnesota 2009
84	Rush	Minnesota 2009
48	Reception (Cousins)	Western Michigan 2009
71	Reception (Nichol)	Penn State 2009
48	Reception (Cousins)	Texas Tech 2010 (Alamo Bowl)
6	Reception (Cousins)	Notre Dame 2010
74	Punt Return	Wisconsin 2010
10	Receptions (Cousins)	Michigan 2011
13	Reception (Cousins)	Michigan 2011
34	Rush	Wisconsin 2011
15	Reception (Cousins)	Wisconsin 2011
47	Reception (Cousins)	Indiana 2011
19	Rush	Indiana 2011
57	Punt Return	Northwestern 2011

Martin's Career Big Plays - Plus-40 Yards or more (17)

2011 (4)

Yards	Type	Opponent
67	Reception (Cousins)	Iowa
57*	Punt Return	Northwestern
47*	Reception (Cousins)	Indiana
46	Reception (Cousins)	Northwestern

2010 (4)

Yards	Type	Opponent
74*	Punt Return	Wisconsin
47	Punt Return	Florida Atlantic
46	Kick Return	Florida Atlantic
42	Reception (Cousins)	Florida Atlantic

2009 (8)

Yards	Type	Opponent
93*	Kick Return	Minnesota
91*	Reception (Nichol)	Wisconsin
85	Kick Return	Purdue
84*	Rush	Minnesota
71*	Reception (Nichol)	Penn State
48*	Reception (Cousins)	Texas Tech
48*	Reception (Cousins)	Western Michigan
45	Rush	Purdue

2008 (1)

Yards	Type	Opponent
42	Reception (Hoyer)	Northwestern

** Touchdown*

Andrew MAXWELL

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QB | 6-3 | 208 | SO. | 1L

MIDLAND, MICH. | MIDLAND

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player is in his second season as the back-up quarterback, behind Kirk Cousins . . . has seen action in nine career games, completing 57 percent of his passes (29-for-51) for 294 yards and one touchdown.

2011 NOTES: Has seen action in four games, completing 69 percent of his passes (18-of-26) for 171 yards and one touchdown . . . Academic All-Big Ten selection for the second-straight year . . . completed 4-of-7 throws for 22 yards in second-half action against Indiana . . . was an efficient 7-of-8 passing for 71 yards against Central Michigan, including his first career touchdown pass, a 3-yard strike to Dion Sims . . . was 6-of-10 passing for 63 yards while playing a majority of the second half in the win over Florida Atlantic . . . played in one series in the fourth quarter against Youngstown State in the season opener and completed his only pass attempt for 15 yards to Tony Lippett.

CAREER HIGHS

Pass Attempts........... 10, twice (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/10/11)
Pass Completions..... 7, vs. Central Michigan (9/24/11)
Passing Yards........... 71, vs. Central Michigan (9/24/11)

Maxwell's Career Stats

Year	G/GS	COMP	ATT	INT	PCT	YDS	YPG	TD	LG
2010	5/0	11	25	0	.440	123	24.6	0	34
2011	4/0	18	26	0	.692	171	42.8	1	31
Career	9/0	29	51	0	.569	294	32.7	1	34

Maxwell's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	COMP	ATT	INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	1	1	0	1.000	15	0	15
Florida Atlantic	6	10	0	.600	63	0	30
Notre Dame			-DNP-				
Central Michigan	7	8	0	.875	71	1	31
Ohio State			-DNP-				
Michigan			-DNP-				
Wisconsin			-DNP-				
Nebraska			-DNP-				
Minnesota			-DNP-				
Iowa			-DNP-				
Indiana	4	7	0	.571	22	0	9
Northwestern			-DNP-				
Wisconsin			-DNP-				
Totals	18	26	0	.692	171	1	31

Chris McDONALD

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RG | 6-5 | 300 | JR. I 2L
STERLING HEIGHTS, MICH.
HENRY FORD II

CAREER NOTES: Fourth-year player is in his second season as the starting right guard . . . two-year letterman has played in 29 career games, including 25 starts (16 consecutive) at right guard.

2011 NOTES: Has started all 13 games at right guard . . . played more snaps (775) than any other Spartan offensive lineman during the regular season . . . honorable mention All-Big Ten selection by the media . . . recipient of the team's Most Outstanding Underclass Lineman Award (offense) . . . leads the team with 49 knockdowns, including six dominators . . . surrendered only one sack during the regular season . . . named Spartan Offensive Lineman of the Week vs. Minnesota . . . named Spartan Offensive Lineman of the Week vs. Central Michigan after the Spartans rushed for 197 yards and three touchdowns against the Chippewas.

Jared McGAHA

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OT | 6-6 | 298 | SR.-5 I 2L
POWELL, TENN. | POWELL

CAREER NOTES: Fifth-year senior is a versatile lineman who can play either tackle or guard . . . has seen action in 32 career games, including four starting assignments.

2011 NOTES: Has seen action in nine games . . . missed four games due to injury . . . started the season opener against Youngstown State at left tackle.

Kevin MUMA

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K | 6-0 | 189 | SO. I 1L
TROY, MICH. | TROY

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player is in his second season as the starting kickoff specialist.

2011 NOTES: Averaging 65.2 yards on kickoffs, good for 31st in the FBS . . . has 17 touchbacks, which ranks 20th in the FBS . . . has produced at least one touchback in each of his last eight games . . . averaged 65.4 yards on seven kickoffs, including a touchback, in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin . . . for the second time of the season, earned honorable mention College Football Performance Awards Kickoff Specialist Player of the Week accolades after averaging 65.5 yards on a season-high 10 kickoffs, including two touchbacks, against Indiana . . . averaged 70.0 yards on two kickoffs, with one touchback, at No. 13 Nebraska . . . earned honorable mention College Football Performance Awards Kickoff Specialist Player of the Week accolades after averaging 66.6 yards on five kickoffs against Michigan, including three touchbacks . . . made his first career field goal, a 28-yarder, in the win over Florida Atlantic.

Muma's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics - Kickoffs

Opponent	NO.	YDS	AVG.	TB	OB
Youngstown State	5	328	65.6	1	0
Florida Atlantic	9	605	67.2	3	0
Notre Dame	4	257	64.2	0	0
Central Michigan	8	535	66.9	0	0
Ohio State	3	188	62.7	0	0
Michigan	5	333	66.6	3	0
Wisconsin	5	326	65.2	1	0
Nebraska	2	140	70.0	1	0
Minnesota	6	389	61.5	1	0
Iowa	8	513	64.1	3	0
Indiana	10	655	65.5	2	0
Northwestern	6	376	62.7	1	0
Wisconsin	7	458	65.4	1	1
Totals	78	5083	65.2	17	1

Keith NICHOL

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WR | 6-2 | 220 | SR.-5 I 2L
LOWELL, MICH. | OKLAHOMA

CAREER NOTES: Fifth-year senior and two-year letterwinner has played in 36 games at Michigan State after transferring from Oklahoma in 2008, including 14 starting assignments . . . made the transition from quarterback to wide receiver during Alamo Bowl practice in 2009 and continued to take reps with the first team in spring practice in 2010 . . . has 46 catches for 572 yards (12.4 avg.) and three touchdowns in his career . . . a physical player who is an excellent blocker . . . has completed 54 percent of his passes (53-of-98) at Michigan State for 826 yards and nine touchdowns.

2011 NOTES: Fifth on the team with 22 catches for 299 yards (13.6 avg.) and two touchdowns . . . named Academic All-Big Ten for the third consecutive year . . . graduated in December with a degree in supply chain management . . . recipient of the President's Award for perseverance (offense) . . . tied his career high with four catches for 39 yards in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin . . . his 3-yard reception in the second quarter vs. the Badgers led to a Spartan touchdown; after the catch, he lateraled the ball to B.J. Cunningham at the 7-yard line before getting tackled out of bounds, and Cunningham ran it in for the score . . . had three receptions for 41 yards against Minnesota, including a 4-yard TD catch in the first quarter . . . caught the game-winning, 44-yard Hail Mary touchdown pass from Kirk Cousins on the final play of the game to propel MSU to a 37-31 victory over No. 4 Wisconsin; the reception was the longest of his career . . . had two catches for 20 yards in victory over Michigan; named a game captain against the Wolverines . . . had two receptions for 21 yards in win at Ohio State . . . recorded a career-high 54 receiving yards on three receptions vs. Central Michigan . . . had two catches for 40 yards, including a 30-yard grab, in the win over Florida Atlantic.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Has five catches for 33 yards in two bowl games . . . threw a 49-yard TD pass to Bennie Fowler in the fourth quarter of the 2011 Capital One Bowl vs. Alabama; was 2-for-5 passing in the game for 56 yards . . . also had three receptions for 22 yards against the Crimson Tide . . . made his Spartan debut at wide receiver in the 2010 Alamo Bowl vs. Texas Tech, catching two passes for 11 yards . . . also rushed for a 7-yard touchdown against the Red Raiders.

CAREER HIGHS

Catches	4, twice (last vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/11)
Receiving Yards........	54, vs. Central Michigan (9/24/11)
TD Catches...............	1, three times (last vs. Minnesota, 11/5/11)

Nichol's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	G/GS	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2009	10/1	2	11	5.5	0	10	5.5
2010	13/8	22	262	11.9	1	42	20.2
2011	13/5	22	299	13.6	2	44	23.0
Career	36/14	46	572	12.4	3	44	15.9

Nichol's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics - Receiving

Opponent	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	1	14	0	14
Florida Atlantic	2	40	0	30
Notre Dame	1	9	0	9
Central Michigan	3	54	0	35
Ohio State	2	21	0	11
Michigan	2	20	0	11
Wisconsin	1	44	1	44
Nebraska	0	0	0	0
Minnesota	3	41	1	31
Iowa	2	13	0	9
Indiana	1	4	0	4
Northwestern	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	4	39	0	17
Totals	22	299	2	44

Chris NORMAN

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LB | 6-1 | 227 | JR. I 2L
DETROIT, MICH. | RENAISSANCE

CAREER NOTES: Two-year letterwinner is in his second year as the starting Star (weakside) linebacker . . . has made 141 tackles in 36 career games (3.9 avg.), including 22 starts.

2011 NOTES: Honorable mention All-Big Ten selection (media) . . . tied for fourth on the team with a career-high 71 tackles (6.5 avg.), including 5.0 for losses (17 yards) . . . ranked eighth on the team with 121 production points during the regular season . . . has started 11 games (missed the Minnesota and Nebraska games due to shoulder injury) . . . recipient of the team's Jim Adams Award on defense (unsung hero) . . . compiled nine stops in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin . . . collected seven tackles in win at Northwestern . . . produced five stops, including a half tackle for loss, against Indiana . . . registered six tackles and two pass break-ups in win at Iowa . . . compiled nine tackles, including one for a 1-yard loss, in victory over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . tied a career high with a game-high 10 tackles in the win over Michigan . . . earned honorable mention College Football Performance Awards Linebacker of the Week accolades after producing career highs in tackles for loss (3.0 for 15 yards) and sacks (2.0 for 13 yards), to go along with seven tackles (all solos) overall, in MSU's 10-7 win at Ohio State . . . collected seven tackles at Notre Dame . . . recorded six tackles in the season opener against Youngstown State.

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Suffered a sprained elbow early in the first quarter vs. Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl and missed the remainder of the game . . . had two tackles in the 2010 Alamo Bowl against Texas Tech.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles.....................	10, twice (last vs. Michigan, 10/15/11)
Tackles for loss.........	3.0, vs. Ohio State (10/1/11)
Sacks........................	2.0, vs. Ohio State (10/1/11)
Pass Break-Ups........	2, twice (last vs. Iowa, 11/121/11)

Norman's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2009	13/1	6	5	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2010	12/10	23	36	59	0.5-0	0-0	1-8	2	1	1
2011	11/11	36	35	71	5-17	2-13	0-0	2	0	0
Career	36/22	65	76	141	5.5-17	2-13	1-8	4	1	1

Norman's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	1	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	2	5	7	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-
Central Michigan	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ohio State	7	0	7	3-15	2-13	-	-	-	-
Michigan	6	4	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	6	3	9	1-1	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska				-DNP-INJURED-					
Minnesota				-DNP-INJURED-					
Iowa	2	4	6	-	-	-	2	-	-
Indiana	1	4	5	0.5-0	-	-	-	-	-
Northwestern	5	2	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	4	5	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	36	35	71	5-17	2-13	0-0	2	0	0

Kevin PICKELMAN

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NT | 6-4 | 288 | SR.-5 I 3L
MARSHALL, MICH. | MARSHALL

CAREER NOTES: Fifth-year senior and three-year letterwinner played in 49 games, including 18 starts on the defensive line . . . will miss the Outback Bowl with a knee injury he suffered in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin . . . recorded 93 tackles, including 12.0 for losses (58 yards) and 6.0 sacks (46 yards), in his career.

2011 NOTES: Had a career year in his final season wearing the Green and White, recording career highs in tackles (37), tackles for losses (7.5 for 39 yards) and sacks (4.0 for 31 yards) . . . also credited with nine quarterback hurries and seven QB hits . . . finished sixth on the team with 139 production points during the regular season . . . honorable mention All-Big Ten selection (media) . . . recipient of the President's Award for perseverance (defense) . . . graduated in December with a degree in criminal justice . . . had a quarterback hurry but suffered a season-ending knee injury of the first half of the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin . . . tied a career high with eight tackles, including an 8-yard sack, in victory at Northwestern; named Spartan Defensive Player of the Week . . . had a 7-yard sack in win at Iowa . . . had four tackles against Minnesota . . . produced a season-high five tackles, including a half tackle for loss (1 yard), at No. 13 Nebraska . . . compiled four tackles, including one for a 2-yard loss, in victory over No. 4 Wisconsin; selected as a game captain against the Badgers . . . registered four tackles, including 2.0 for losses (12 yards) and a 9-yard sack, in MSU's fourth-straight win over Michigan . . . in his first start of the season, recorded two tackles against Central Michigan . . . tied a career high with 2.0 tackles for loss at Notre Dame, including a forced fumble and a 7-yard sack; had three tackles overall against the Irish.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	8, twice (last vs. Northwestern, 11/26/11)
Tackles for loss	2.0, twice (last vs. Michigan, 10/15/11)
Sacks	1.0, five times (last vs. Northwestern, 11/26/11)

Pickelman's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2008	13/0	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2009	12/1	9	11	20	2-11	1.5-10	0-0	0	0	0
2010	11/7	10	21	31	2.5-8	0.5-5	0-0	0	0	0
2011	13/19	19	18	37	7.5-39	4-31	0-0	0	0	1
Career	49/18	40	53	93	12-58	6-46	0-0	0	0	1

Pickelman's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	2	1	3	2-9	1-7	-	-	-	1
Central Michigan	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ohio State	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	2	2	4	2-12	1-9	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	1	3	4	1-2	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	0	5	5	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	0	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	1	0	1	1-7	1-7	-	-	-	-
Indiana	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northwestern	8	0	8	1-8	1-8	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	11	18	37	7.5-39	4-31	0	0	0	1

Arthur RAY

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OG | 6-3 | 299 | SR. I SQ
CHICAGO, ILL. | MOUNT CARMEL

CAREER NOTES: Fourth-year player provides depth at right guard . . . returned to the football field during spring practice for the first time in four years following a battle with cancer . . . had his medical disqualification reversed and was cleared to practice by the NCAA on April 7, 2011 . . . participated in the last 11 spring practices, including two snaps during the Green-White game on April 30 . . . had not played football since Jan. 4, 2007, when he took park in the Offense-Defense All-American Bowl high school all-star game in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. . . . two months after signing a National Letter of Intent with MSU in February 2007, began chemotherapy to treat a cancerous tumor, located on the mid shift of his left leg near the calf . . . did not enroll at Michigan State in the fall of 2007 after recovering from successful surgery to remove the cancerous tumor . . . enrolled at MSU in spring 2008 but had to leave due to an infection in his leg . . . since the original procedure, underwent three additional bone-graft surgeries, most recently in December 2008 . . . was on crutches for two years and listed on the inactive roster for the 2009 and 2010 seasons . . . cleared by doctors for conditioning in January 2011 prior to being activated during spring practice.

2011 NOTES: In his MSU debut, started at left guard against Youngstown State as senior captain Joel Foreman volunteered his starting position . . . also saw action against Florida Atlantic and Indiana . . . named the winner of the 2011 Discover Orange Bowl/ Football Writers Association of America Courage Award . . . recipient of the team's "Biggie" Munn Award for most inspirational player.

Trenton ROBINSON

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S | 5-10 | 192 | SR. I 3L
BAY CITY, MICH.
BAY CITY CENTRAL

CAREER NOTES: Fourth-year senior and three-year letterwinner has 223 tackles, nine interceptions and 12 pass break-ups in 45 games, including 32 starts at safety . . . his nine interceptions rank tied for 12th in MSU history . . . has started 25 consecutive games . . . two-time All-Big Ten honoree (2010: second team-coaches; 2011: first team-media).

2011 NOTES: First-team All-Big Ten selection by the media; honorable mention pick by the coaches . . . named to ESPN.com All-Big Ten first team . . . elected captain by his teammates . . . has started all 13 games at free safety . . . third on the team with 74 tackles (5.7 avg.) . . . tied for the Big Ten lead and tied for 19th in the FBS with four interceptions . . . third on the team with six passes defended (4 INTs, 2 PBUs) . . . his 136 production points ranked seventh on the team during the regular season . . . collected a season-high 12 tackles against Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship Game . . . recorded eight tackles in win at Northwestern . . . named Spartan Defensive Player of the Week after recording a career-best two interceptions, a pass break-up, and six tackles in win over Minnesota; his first interception led to a Spartan field goal in the fourth quarter, and his second interception came with 10 seconds left in the game and sealed the 31-24 comeback victory for MSU . . . had eight tackles, including one for a 7-yard loss, at No. 13 Nebraska . . . excellent all-around game in victory over No. 4 Wisconsin, recording eight tackles, including a 1-yard tackle for loss, to go along with an interception . . . compiled six tackles and a pass break-up in MSU's fourth straight win over Michigan . . . recorded his first interception of the season vs. Central Michigan and returned it 34 yards; also had five tackles against the Chippewas . . . was featured on the watch list for the Jim Thorpe Award (nation's top defensive back).

CAREER IN BOWL GAMES: Leads all active Spartans with 21 tackles in the past three bowl games . . . recorded seven tackles vs. Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl . . . tied for a team high with 13 stops in the 2010 Alamo Bowl against Texas Tech . . . had one tackle in the 2009 Capital One Bowl vs. Georgia.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles......................14, vs. Purdue (11/14/09)
Pass Break-Ups........2, twice (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/11/10)
Interceptions.............2, vs. Minnesota (11/5/11)

ROBINSON IN THE BIG TEN STATS

Interceptions.............T-1st (4)

ROBINSON IN THE MSU CAREER RECORD BOOK

Interceptions.............T-12th (9)

Robinson's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2008	8/0	2	4	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2009	11/7	37	30	67	0-0	0-0	1-0	2	0	0
2010	13/12	35	41	76	0-0	0-0	4-19	8	0	0
2011	13/13	43	31	74	2-8	0-0	4-40	2	0	0
Career	45/32	117	106	223	2-8	0-0	9-59	12	0	0

Robinson's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central Michigan	1	4	5	-	-	1-34	-	-	-
Ohio State	3	0	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	5	1	6	-	-	-	1	-	-
Wisconsin	4	4	8	1-1	-	1-6	-	-	-
Nebraska	3	5	8	1-7	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	4	2	6	-	-	2-0	1	-	-
Iowa	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	3	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northwestern	7	1	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	7	5	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	43	31	74	2-8	0-0	4-40	2	0	0

Marcus RUSH

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DE | 6-2 | 250 | FR. I RS
CINCINNATI, OHIO
ARCHBISHOP MOELLER

2011 NOTES: Second-year player has started all 13 games at defensive end . . . named Big Ten Freshman Defensive MVP by ESPN.com . . . honorable mention All-Big Ten (coaches and media) . . . named Freshman All-American by Sporting News (first team), Yahoo! Sports (second team), Phil Steele (second team) and CollegeFootballNews.com (second team) . . . named to ESPN.com, Yahoo! Sports and BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team . . . ranks second among MSU defensive lineman with 51 tackles (3.9 avg.) . . . ranks first among Big Ten freshmen in sacks (4.0 for 23 yards) and tackles for loss (10.0 for 41 yards) . . . ranks third on the team in quarterback hurries (12) and QB hits (10) . . . finished fourth on the team with 162 production points during the regular season . . . excellent all-around game in win at Northwestern: collected five tackles, including a career-high 2.0 sacks (6 yards), forced a fumble, and broke up a pass . . . had three tackles, including a 2-yard tackle for loss, and broke up a pass in win at Iowa . . . collected three tackles against Minnesota . . . earned honorable mention College Football Performance Awards Defensive Lineman of the Week accolades after recording a career-high 11 tackles, including 2.5 for losses (4 yards), at No. 13 Nebraska . . . compiled five stops and had a quarterback hurry in victory against No. 4 Wisconsin . . . had three tackles, including a 10-yard sack of Denard Robinson, and three QB hurries in MSU's 28-14 win over No. 11 Michigan . . . earned Big Ten Freshman of the Week honors after collecting four tackles, including a 7-yard sack, in MSU's 10-7 win at Ohio State . . . named Spartan Defensive Player of the Week after registering one tackle, two quarterback hurries and a pass break-up vs. Central Michigan . . . had seven tackles, including 2.0 for losses (10 yards), along with two quarterback hurries at Notre Dame . . . made his first career start against Youngstown State and recorded four tackles, including a half tackle for loss, and also had two quarterback hurries . . . redshirted last season.

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles...................... 11, vs. Nebraska (10/29/11)
Tackles for loss......... 2.5, vs. Nebraska (10/29/11)
Sacks........................ 2.0, vs. Northwestern (11/26/11)
Pass break-Ups........ 1, twice (last vs. Iowa, 11/12/11)

Rush's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2011	13/13	25	26	51	10-41	4-23	0-0	4	0	1

Rush's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	1	3	4	0.5-2	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	3	4	7	2-10	-	-	-	-	-
Central Michigan	1	0	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Ohio State	4	0	4	1-7	1-7	-	-	-	-
Michigan	2	1	3	1-10	1-10	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	0	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	7	4	11	2.5-4	-	-	1	-	-
Minnesota	0	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	2	1	3	1-2	-	-	1	-	-
Indiana	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northwestern	4	1	5	2-6	2-6	-	1	-	1
Wisconsin	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	25	26	51	10-41	4-23	0-0	4	0	0

Mike SADLER

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P | 6-0 | 182 | FR. I RS
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.
FOREST HILLS NORTHERN

2011 NOTES: Second-year player is in his first year as the starting punter after redshirting last season . . . left-footed kicker is one of 14 freshmen starting punters in the FBS (true and redshirt) . . . averaging 39.8 yards per punt . . . has placed 40 percent (21-of-54) of his punts inside the 20 . . . tied for 19th in the FBS with 21 punts inside the 20 . . . also has pinned 10 punts inside the 10, which is ninth most in the nation . . . selected to the CoSIDA/Capital One Academic All-America Team (second team); owns a 4.0 GPA in applied engineering sciences . . . also a CoSIDA Academic All-District V first-team selection and an Academic All-Big Ten honoree . . . earned Freshman All-America honors by Phil Steele (third team) and CollegeFootballNews.com (honorable mention) . . . named to ESPN.com, Yahoo! Sports and BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team . . . placed two of his three punts inside the 20 against Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship Game, including one at the 1-yard line . . . pinned two of his four punts inside the 20 at Northwestern and averaged 39.0 yards per punt (four punts for 156 yards) . . . named Big Ten Freshman of the Week after averaging a season-best 46.2 yards per punt (six punts for 277 yards), including three inside the opponent's 20, in Michigan State's 37-21 victory at Iowa . . . named Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week for his performance in MSU's 31-24 victory over Minnesota; averaged just 35.0 yards on five punts against the Gophers, but a season-best four of his five punts were placed inside the Gopher 20-yard line; delivered two clutch punts in the final seven minutes, twice pinning Minnesota inside its own 10-yard line; his first punt was downed at the Minnesota 6 and the second was fair caught by Brandon Green at the Gopher 10 . . . pinned two of his seven punts inside the 20 against Wisconsin; averaged 38.0 yards on seven punts vs. the Badgers . . . named Big Ten Freshman of the Week for his performance in the Michigan game; averaged 41.0 yards per punt on five attempts, had one punt downed inside the Michigan 20-yard line, and delivered a long of 45 yards despite wind gusts of up to 40 miles per hour in Spartan Stadium; also earned honorable mention College Football Performance Awards National Special Teams Player of the Week accolades . . . averaged 40.8 yards on six punts at Ohio State, including three downed inside the 20 . . . averaged 43.5 yards on two punts vs. Central Michigan, including a 46-yarder . . . averaged 39.7 yards on six punts, including a 55-yarder, at Notre Dame . . . his only punt against Florida Atlantic was a 36-yarder that was downed at the FAU 8-yard line . . . in his collegiate debut against Youngstown State, averaged 38.3 yards per punt (three for 115 yards), including one inside the 20.

CAREER HIGHS

Punts ....7, vs. Wisconsin (10/22/11)
Punting Yards ....277 yards, vs. Iowa (11/12/11)
Punting Avg. (Min. 4) ....46.2, vs. Iowa (11/12/11)
Punts Inside 20.........4, vs. Minnesota (11/5/11)
Longest Punt ....55, vs. Notre Dame (9/17/11)

Sadler's Career Statistics

Year	G	No.	YDS.	AVG.	LG	I20	+50
2011	13	53	2108	39.8	55	21	3

Sadler's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	No.	YDS	AVG	LG	I20
Youngstown State	3	115	38.3	41	2
Florida Atlantic	1	36	36.0	36	1
Notre Dame	6	238	39.7	55	1
Central Michigan	2	87	43.5	46	0
Ohio State	6	245	40.8	51	3
Michigan	5	205	41.0	45	1
Wisconsin	7	266	38.0	49	2
Nebraska	5	182	36.4	40	1
Minnesota	5	175	35.0	44	4
Iowa	6	277	46.2	54	3
Indiana	0	0	0.0	-	0
Northwestern	4	156	39.0	44	2
Wisconsin	3	126	42.0	45	2
Totals	53	2108	39.8	55	21

Dion SIMS

80

TE | 6-5 | 276 | SO. I 1L
DETROIT, MICH.
ORCHARD LAKE ST. MARY'S

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player sees playing time at tight end . . . has 23 catches for 232 yards and six touchdowns in 26 career games, including three starts.

2011 NOTES: Has played the second half of the season with a broken hand . . . third on the team with three touchdown receptions . . . sixth on the team with 12 catches for 99 yards (8.2 avg.) . . . nine of his 12 catches (75 percent) have resulted in either a first down or touchdown . . . had two catches for 12 yards in win over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . recorded two catches for 15 yards against Central Michigan, including a 3-yard TD pass from Andrew Maxwell . . . had three catches for 38 yards, including a 6-yard TD reception, at Notre Dame . . . hauled in a career-high four receptions for 27 yards vs. Florida Atlantic, including a 1-yard TD from Kirk Cousins . . . made his first career start in the season opener against Youngstown State.

CAREER HIGHS

Catches ....4, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/10/11)
Receiving Yards........59, vs. Wisconsin (9/26/09)
TD Catches...............1, six times (last vs. Central Michigan, 9/24/11)

Sims' Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	G/GS	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2009	13/0	11	133	12.1	3	35	11.1
2010			-DNP-REDSHIRTED-				
2011	13/3	12	99	8.2	3	19	8.2
Career	26/3	23	232	10.1	6	35	9.3

Sims' 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Youngstown State	0	0	0	0
Florida Atlantic	4	27	1	19
Notre Dame	3	38	1	21
Central Michigan	2	15	1	12
Ohio State	1	7	0	7
Michigan	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	2	12	0	7
Nebraska	0	0	0	0
Minnesota	0	0	0	0
Iowa	0	0	0	0
Indiana	0	0	0	0
Northwestern	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	0	0	0	0
Totals	12	99	3	21

Brad SONNTAG 81

WR/HLD | 5-8 | 176 | SR-5. I 1L
SAGINAW, MICH.
NOUVEL CATHOLIC CENTRAL

CAREER NOTES: Fifth-year senior is in his first season as the holder . . . has appeared in 24 career games.

2011 NOTES: Has seen action in every game as the starting holder . . . also has six catches for 44 yards (7.4 avg.) . . . has two tackles on special teams . . . Academic All-Big Ten selection . . . graduated in December with a degree in hospitality business . . . scored on two-point conversion in the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin in the second quarter to give MSU a 22-21 lead . . . had a 3-yard reception vs. Indiana on Senior Day at Spartan Stadium . . . converted a successful fake field goal in the third quarter at Iowa, gaining 5 yards on a rush on a fourth-and-2 play from the Hawkeye 25-yard line . . . caught a career-high four passes for 32 yards in win over Central Michigan.

Johnathan STRAYHORN 57

DE | 6-0 | 272 | SR.-5 I 3L
DETROIT, MICH. | OAK PARK

CAREER NOTES: Fifth-year senior played in 42 games, including two starts . . . suffered a season-ending knee injury in the Iowa game . . . had 50 career tackles, including 7.0 for losses (30 yards) and 5.0 sacks . . . earned a scholarship prior to the 2010 season.

2011 NOTES: Collected six tackles, including 1.5 for losses (5 yards), and two pass break-ups . . . made the switch from defensive end to defensive tackle during spring practice . . . had one tackle and a quarterback hurry in win over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . recorded a tackle for loss (1 yard) and two pass break-ups vs. Central Michigan . . . recorded one tackle and a half sack for 4 yards against Florida Atlantic.

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles.......................5, twice (last vs. Illinois, 10/16/10)
Tackles for loss.........2, vs. Northwestern (10/23/10)
Sacks........................2, vs. Northwestern (10/23/10)
Pass Break-Ups........2, vs. Central Michigan (9/24/11)

Strayhorn's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2008	6/0	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2009	13/0	6	7	13	2-8	1-7	0-0	0	1	0
2010	13/2	12	15	27	3.5-17	3.5-17	0-0	0	0	1
2011	10/0	2	4	6	1.5-5	0.5-4	0-0	2	0	0
Totals	42/2	21	29	50	7-30	5-28	0-0	2	1	1

Anthony Rashad WHITE 98

DT | 6-2 | 316 | JR. I 1L
BATTLE CREEK, MICH.
FORT SCOTT (KAN.) CC

CAREER NOTES: Second-year player has seen action in 25 games on the defensive front, including three starts . . . signed a letter of intent in February 2010 with three years of eligibility remaining (three-for-three).

2011 NOTES: Listed as the starter at nose tackle for the Outback Bowl following the injury to starter Kevin Pickelman in the Big Ten Championship Game . . . has recorded 18 tackles and four quarterback hurries . . . had a career-high four tackles in victory at Iowa . . . started the first three games at defensive tackle but missed the Central Michigan game with an injury . . . returned for the Ohio State game . . . recorded three tackles, including a half sack (3 yards), in win over Florida Atlantic . . . in his first career start in the season opener against Youngstown State, tallied two tackles, including a half tackle for loss.

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles.......................4, vs. Iowa (11/12/11)
Tackles for loss.........0.5, three times (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/10/11)
Sacks........................0.5, twice (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/10/11)

White's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	13/0	2	15	17	1-5	0.5-5	0	1	0	0
2011	12/3	6	12	18	1-3	0.5-3	0	0	0	0
Career	25/3	8	27	35	2-8	1-8	0	1	0	0

White's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	1	1	2	0.5-0	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	2	3	0.5-3	0.5-3	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central Michigan				-DNP-INJURED-					
Ohio State	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northwestern	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	6	12	18	1-3	0.5-3	0	0	0	0

Mitchell WHITE

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CB | 6-1 | 180 | JR. I 2L
LIVONIA, MICH. | STEVENSON

CAREER NOTES: Fourth-year player is listed No. 2 on the depth chart at boundary corner, behind Johnny Adams . . . also sees time on special teams . . . has 19 tackles in 30 career games.

2011 NOTES: Has seen action in all 13 games, primarily on special teams . . . collected two tackles against Indiana . . . recorded a career-high three tackles vs. Florida Atlantic.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles......................	3, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/10/11)

White's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2009	4/0	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2010	13/1	5	5	10	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0
2011	13/0	4	4	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Career	30/1	9	10	19	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0

Jerel WORTHY

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DT | 6-3 | 310 | JR. I 2L
HUBER HEIGHTS, OHIO | WAYNE

CAREER NOTES: Third-year player has played in 39 career games, including 37 starts at defensive tackle . . . powerful player has 25.5 tackles for loss (116 yards) in his career, which is tied for 18th most in MSU history . . . his 12.0 career sacks (78 yards) rank tied for 12th in the Spartan record book . . . has 102 career tackles and five pass break-ups . . . has also blocked three kicks (two field goals, one extra point) in his career.

2011 NOTES: Named consensus first-team All-American . . . earned first-team All-America honors from The Associated Press, American Football Coaches Association, Walter Camp Foundation, Sporting News, CBSSports.com, NBCSports.com and Yahoo! Sports . . . All-Big Ten first-team selection (coaches and media) . . . is MSU's first All-America first-team selection at defensive tackle since Ronald Curl in 1971 and is also the school's first All-Big Ten first-team selection at the position since Travis Davis in 1989 . . . first Spartan defensive lineman to earn AP First Team All-America honors since Charles "Bubba" Smith in 1966 . . . also named a second-team All-American by Phil Steele . . . was one of 12 semifinalists for the Lombardi Award, one of 16 semifinalists for the Bednarik Award, and one of 20 quarterfinalists for the Lott IMPACT Trophy (Defensive IMPACT Player of the Year) . . . has recorded a tackle for loss in eight of MSU's 13 games this season . . . has 25 tackles, including 8.5 for losses (40 yards) and 3.5 sacks (28 yards) . . . also has been credited with 10 quarterback hurries and 14 QB hits . . . his presence on the defensive line is one of the main reasons MSU leads the Big Ten in total defense, rushing defense and sacks . . . recipient of the team's Most Outstanding Underclass Lineman Award (defense) . . . recorded two tackles, had a quarterback hurry, and broke up a pass on a two-point conversion against Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship Game . . . had two tackles, including a 9-yard sack, in win at Northwestern . . . tied a career high with 2.0 tackles for loss (3 yards) against Indiana . . . named Spartan Defensive Player of the Week after helping limit Iowa to 87 yards rushing; blocked a field goal on the final play of the second quarter in MSU's 37-21 victory against the Hawkeyes . . . selected as a game captain vs. Nebraska . . . compiled three tackles, including one for a 2-yard loss, in victory over No. 4 Wisconsin . . . registered two tackles, including a half sack for 4 yards, in MSU's fourth-straight win over Michigan . . . produced two tackles, including 1.5 for losses and a 5-yard sack, in MSU's 10-7 win at Ohio State . . . recorded a 4-yard tackle for loss vs. Central Michigan . . . registered four tackles and recovered a fumble at Notre Dame . . . wore No. 95 against the Fighting Irish as a tribute to former Spartan All-American Bubba Smith, who passed away this summer; Smith's final collegiate game was the 10-10 tie in 1966 between No. 1 Notre Dame and No. 2 Michigan State . . . recorded a 10-yard sack in the win over Florida Atlantic . . . had two stops, including a half tackle for loss, and blocked an extra point in the season-opening win over Youngstown State.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles......................	5, three times (last vs. Penn State, 11/27/10)
Tackles for loss.........	2, twice (last vs. Indiana, 11/19/11)
Sacks........................	1.5, twice (last vs. Northwestern, 10/23/10)
Pass break-ups.........	2, vs. Wisconsin (9/26/09)

Worthy's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2009	13/11	19	18	37	9-34	4.5-23	0	2	1-0	0
2010	13/13	14	26	40	8-42	4-27	0	3	0	0
2011	13/13	15	10	25	8.5-40	3.5-28	0	1	1-0	0
Totals	39/37	48	54	102	25.5-116	12-78	0	6	2-0	0

Worthy's 2011 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Youngstown State	1	1	2	0.5-2	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	0	1	1-10	1-10	-	-	-	-
Notre Dame	3	1	4	-	-	-	-	1	-
Central Michigan	1	0	1	1-4	-	-	-	-	-
Ohio State	1	1	2	1.5-5	1-5	-	-	-	-
Michigan	1	1	2	0.5-4	0.5-4	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	2	1	3	1-3	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	2	0	2	2-3	-	-	1	-	-
Northwestern	2	0	2	1-9	1-9	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	15	10	25	8.5-40	3.5-28	-	1	1	-

2011 Michigan State Football
Michigan State Combined Team Statistics (Regular Season)
All games

	Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
	Sep 02, 2011	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	W	28-6	75910
	Sep 10, 2011	FLORIDA ATLANTIC	W	44-0	70249
	Sep 17, 2011	at Notre Dame	L	13-31	80795
	Sep 24, 2011	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	W	45-7	72119
*	Oct 1, 2011	at Ohio State	W	10-7	105306
*	Oct 15, 2011	#11 MICHIGAN	W	28-14	77515
*	Oct 22, 2011	#4 WISCONSIN	W	37-31	76405
*	Oct 29, 2011	at #13 Nebraska	L	3-24	85641
*	Nov 05, 2011	MINNESOTA	W	31-24	72219
*	Nov 12, 2011	at Iowa	W	37-21	70585
*	Nov 19, 2011	INDIANA	W	55-3	74128
*	Nov 26, 2011	at Northwestern	W	31-17	32172
	Dec 03, 2011	vs Wisconsin	L	39-42	64152

Rushing	gp-gs	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Bell, Le'Veon	13-5	165	936	36	900	5.5	11	35	69.2
Baker, Edwin	13-8	164	708	53	655	4.0	5	25	50.4
Martin, Keshawn	13-8	17	125	4	121	7.1	2	34	9.3
Caper, Larry	10-0	30	121	5	116	3.9	1	16	11.6
Hill, Nick	13-0	29	118	5	113	3.9	0	18	8.7
Cunningham, B.J.	13-12	3	27	1	26	8.7	0	24	2.0
Fowler, Bennie	5-0	1	6	0	6	6.0	0	6	1.2
Sonntag, Brad	13-0	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	0.4
Foreman, Joel	13-12	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	0.2
Anderson, Todd	13-6	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
Maxwell, Andrew	4-0	5	6	8	-2	-0.4	0	4	-0.5
Lippett, Tony	13-3	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-0.2
TEAM	9-0	9	0	21	-21	-2.3	0	0	-2.3
Cousins, Kirk	13-13	33	65	127	-62	-1.9	0	21	-4.8
Total	13	460	2121	263	1858	4.0	19	35	142.9
Opponents	13	463	1762	406	1356	2.9	11	39	104.3

Passing	gp-gs	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Cousins, Kirk	13-13	151.37	240-369-7	65.0	3016	24	69	232.0
Maxwell, Andrew	4-0	137.17	18-26-0	69.2	171	1	31	42.8
Badovinac, Peter	2-0	58.40	1-2-0	50.0	2	0	2	1.0
TEAM	9-0	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Martin, Keshawn	13-8	335.20	1-1-0	100.0	28	0	28	2.2
Sonntag, Brad	13-0	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	13	149.68	260-400-7	65.0	3217	25	69	247.5
Opponents	13	110.37	196-369-16	53.1	2189	18	69	168.4

Receiving	gp-gs	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Cunningham, B.J.	13-12	72	1240	17.2	12	69	95.4
Martin, Keshawn	13-8	62	742	12.0	4	67	57.1
Bell, Le'Veon	13-5	30	228	7.6	0	45	17.5
Linthicum, Brian	13-12	24	249	10.4	0	28	19.2
Nichol, Keith	13-5	22	299	13.6	2	44	23.0
Sims, Dion	13-3	12	99	8.2	3	21	7.6
Caper, Larry	10-0	10	86	8.6	1	15	8.6
Sonntag, Brad	13-0	6	44	7.3	0	15	3.4
Baker, Edwin	13-8	5	60	12.0	1	19	4.6
Anderson, Todd	13-6	5	30	6.0	1	21	2.3
Lippett, Tony	13-3	4	44	11.0	0	15	3.4
Celek, Garrett	13-6	3	35	11.7	1	21	2.7
Mumphery, Keith	13-0	2	39	19.5	0	31	3.0
Fowler, Bennie	5-0	2	20	10.0	0	18	4.0
Palazeti, Niko	4-0	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.5
Total	13	260	3217	12.4	25	69	247.5
Opponents	13	196	2189	11.2	18	69	168.4

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Conroy, Dan	15-21	71.4	0-0	6-8	3-3	4-5	2-5	50	0
Muma, Kevin	1-1	100.0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	28	0

			PAT						
Scoring	td	fg	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
Conroy, Dan	-	15-21	47-47	-	-	-	-	-	92
Cunningham, B.J.	12	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	74
Bell, Le'Veon	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66
Martin, Keshawn	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42
Baker, Edwin	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36
Sims, Dion	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Lewis, Isaiah	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Caper, Larry	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Nichol, Keith	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All games	10-3	7-0	3-2	0-1
Conference	7-1	4-0	3-1	0-0
Non-Conference	3-2	3-0	0-1	0-1

Team Statistics	MSU	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	257	211
Rushing	97	74
Passing	146	106
Penalty	14	31
RUSHING YARDAGE	1858	1356
Rushing Attempts	460	463
Average Per Rush	4.0	2.9
Average Per Game	142.9	104.3
TDs Rushing	19	11
PASSING YARDAGE	3217	2189
Comp-Att-Int	260-400-7	196-369-16
Average Per Pass	8.0	5.9
Average Per Catch	12.4	11.2
Average Per Game	247.5	168.4
TDs Passing	25	18
TOTAL OFFENSE	5075	3545
Average Per Play	5.9	4.3
Average Per Game	390.4	272.7
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	42-1021	59-1398
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	29-324	12-119
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	16-308	7-140
FUMBLES-LOST	20-8	21-6
PENALTIES-Yards	87-725	80-673
PUNTS-AVG	57-39.5	79-39.2
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	31:28	28:32
3RD-DOWN Conversions	72/182	61/181
4TH-DOWN Conversions	10/18	9/19

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Lewis, Isaiah	4	89	22.2	2	39
Robinson, Trenton	4	40	10.0	0	34
Adams, Johnny	3	141	47.0	1	86
Drummond, Kurtis	2	34	17.0	0	34
Bullough, Max	1	4	4.0	0	4
Drone, Denzel	1	0	0.0	0	0
Dennard, Darqueze	1	0	0.0	0	0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Sadler, Mike	53	2108	39.8	55	5	14	21	3	1
Selden, Kyle	3	142	47.3	53	1	1	1	1	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Martin, Keshawn	23	271	11.8	1	57
Hill, Nick	5	17	3.4	0	8
Elsworth, Kyler	1	36	36.0	0	0
Fowler, Bennie	0	0	0.0	1	0
Total	29	324	11.2	2	57
Opponents	12	119	9.9	0	33

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Hill, Nick	36	938	26.1	0	67
Hammock, TyQuan	3	30	10.0	0	15
Celek, Garrett	1	7	7.0	0	7
Bell, Le'Veon	1	31	31.0	0	31
Martin, Keshawn	1	15	15.0	0	15
Total	42	1021	24.3	0	67
Opponents	59	1398	23.7	1	89

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Cunningham, B.J	13	26	1240	0	0	0	1266	97.4
Bell, Le'Veon	13	900	228	0	31	0	1159	89.2
Martin, Keshawn	13	121	742	271	15	0	1149	88.4
Hill, Nick	13	113	0	17	938	0	1068	82.2
Baker, Edwin	13	655	60	0	0	0	715	55.0
Total	13	1858	3217	324	1021	308	6728	517.5
Opponents	13	1356	2189	119	1398	140	5202	400.2

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Fowler, Bennie	5-0	1	6	0	6	6.0	0	6	1.2
Sonntag, Brad	13-0	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	0.4
Foreman, Joel	13-12	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	0.2
Anderson, Todd	13-6	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
Maxwell, Andrew	4-0	5	6	8	-2	-0.4	0	4	-0.5
Lippett, Tony	13-3	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-0.2
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Receiving	gp-gs	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Cunningham, B.J.	13-12	72	1240	17.2	12	69	95.4
Martin, Keshawn	13-8	62	742	12.0	4	67	57.1
Bell, Le'Veon	13-5	30	228	7.6	0	45	17.5
Linthicum, Brian	13-12	24	249	10.4	0	28	19.2
Nichol, Keith	13-5	22	299	13.6	2	44	23.0
Sims, Dion	13-3	12	99	8.2	3	21	7.6
Caper, Larry	10-0	10	86	8.6	1	15	8.6
Sonntag, Brad	13-0	6	44	7.3	0	15	3.4
Baker, Edwin	13-8	5	60	12.0	1	19	4.6
Anderson, Todd	13-6	5	30	6.0	1	21	2.3
Lippett, Tony	13-3	4	44	11.0	0	15	3.4
Celek, Garrett	13-6	3	35	11.7	1	21	2.7
Mumphery, Keith	13-0	2	39	19.5	0	31	3.0
Fowler, Bennie	5-0	2	20	10.0	0	18	4.0
Palazeti, Niko	4-0	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.5
Total	13	260	3217	12.4	25	69	247.5
Opponents	13	196	2189	11.2	18	69	168.4

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Martin, Keshawn	23	271	11.8	1	57
Hill, Nick	5	17	3.4	0	8
Elsworth, Kyler	1	36	36.0	0	0
Fowler, Bennie	0	0	0.0	1	0
Total	29	324	11.2	2	57
Opponents	12	119	9.9	0	33

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Robinson, Trenton	4	40	10.0	0	34
Lewis, Isaiah	4	89	22.2	2	39
Adams, Johnny	3	141	47.0	1	86
Drummond, Kurtis	2	34	17.0	0	34
Bullough, Max	1	4	4.0	0	4
Drone, Denzel	1	0	0.0	0	0
Dennard, Darqueze	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	16	308	19.2	3	86
Opponents	7	140	20.0	0	82

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Hill, Nick	36	938	26.1	0	67
Hammock, TyQuan	3	30	10.0	0	15
Bell, Le'Veon	1	31	31.0	0	31
Martin, Keshawn	1	15	15.0	0	15
Celek, Garrett	1	7	7.0	0	7
Total	42	1021	24.3	0	67
Opponents	59	1398	23.7	1	89

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Lippett, Tony	1	15	15.0	0	15
Langford, Jeremy	1	37	37.0	1	37
Total	2	52	26.0	1	37
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

Keshawn Martin, who ran back a punt return 57 yards for a touchdown at Northwestern, ranks second in the Big Ten and 15th in the FBS in punt returns (11.8 avg.).

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			PAT						
Scoring	td	fg	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
Conroy, Dan	-	15-21	47-47	-	-	-	-	-	92
Cunningham, B.J.	12	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	74
Bell, Le'Veon	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66
Martin, Keshawn	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42
Baker, Edwin	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36
Sims, Dion	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Nichol, Keith	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Lewis, Isaiah	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Caper, Larry	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Anderson, Todd	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Langford, Jeremy	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Celek, Garrett	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Adams, Johnny	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Fowler, Bennie	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Muma, Kevin	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Sonntag, Brad	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	2
TEAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Cousins, Kirk	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	0
Total	50	16-22	47-47	1-1	1	1-1	-	1	401
Opponents	30	6-9	27-28	-	1	1-2	-	-	227

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Cousins, Kirk	13	402	-62	3016	2954	227.2
Bell, Le'Veon	13	165	900	0	900	69.2
Baker, Edwin	13	164	655	0	655	50.4
Maxwell, Andrew	4	31	-2	171	169	42.2
Martin, Keshawn	13	18	121	28	149	11.5
Caper, Larry	10	30	116	0	116	11.6
Hill, Nick	13	29	113	0	113	8.7
Cunningham, B.J.	13	3	26	0	26	2.0
Fowler, Bennie	5	1	6	0	6	1.2
Sonntag, Brad	13	2	5	0	5	0.4
Foreman, Joel	13	1	3	0	3	0.2
Badovinac, Peter	2	2	0	2	2	1.0
Anderson, Todd	13	1	1	0	1	0.1
Lippett, Tony	13	1	-3	0	-3	-0.2
TEAM	9	10	-21	0	-21	-2.3
Total	13	860	1858	3217	5075	390.4
Opponents	13	832	1356	2189	3545	272.7

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Conroy, Dan	15-21	71.4	0-0	6-8	3-3	4-5	2-5	50	0
Muma, Kevin	1-1	100.0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	28	0

FG Sequence	Michigan State	Opponents
Youngstown State	27	39
Florida Atlantic	(50),(41),28,(28)	-
Notre Dame	(40),(35)	(33)
Central Michigan	(23)	-
Ohio State	51,(50)	-
Michigan	-	-
Wisconsin	-	30,(33)
Nebraska	52,(28)	(20)
Minnesota	(40)	(27)
Iowa	(22),(31),49,(48)	50
Indiana	(21),(33)	(22)
Northwestern	(25)	(34)
Wisconsin	51,(25)	-

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Sadler, Mike	53	2108	39.8	55	5	14	21	3	1
Selden, Kyle	3	142	47.3	53	1	1	1	1	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	57	2250	39.5	55	6	15	22	4	1
Opponents	79	3093	39.2	60	4	22	18	8	1

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Muma, Kevin	78	5083	65.2	17	1			
Total	78	5083	65.2	17	1	23.7	42.9	27
Opponents	49	3107	63.4	7	0	24.3	39.7	30

Mike Sadler, who was named a Freshman All-American by Phil Steele and CollegeFootballNews.com, ranks among the FBS leaders in punts inside the 20 (tied for 19th with 21) and punts inside the 10 (ninth with 10).

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			Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
##	Defensive Leaders	gp-gs	ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
40	Bullough, Max	13-13	34	52	86	7.0-27	3.5-22	1-4	2	6	.	2	.	.
28	Allen, Denicos	13-12	41	37	78	17.0-80	10.0-64	.	3	7	.	.	.	.
39	Robinson, Trenton	13-13	43	31	74	2.0-8	.	4-40	2	.	.	.	.	.
10	Norman, Chris	11-11	36	35	71	5.0-17	2.0-13	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
9	Lewis, Isaiah	13-13	33	38	71	2.5-5	.	4-89	3	1	.	.	.	.
2	Gholston, William	12-11	29	34	63	11.0-34	3.0-20	.	1	3	.	1	.	.
44	Rush, Marcus	13-13	25	26	51	10.0-41	4.0-23	.	4	9	.	1	.	.
5	Adams, Johnny	13-12	35	14	49	4.0-35	3.0-32	3-141	6	4	.	.	.	.
31	Dennard, Darqueze	10-10	27	11	38	1.0-5	.	1-0	3	.	.	.	1	.
96	Pickelman, Kevin	13-10	19	18	37	7.5-39	4.0-31	.	1	2	.	1	.	.
41	Elsworth, Kyler	13-0	14	22	36	2.5-11	0.5-3	.	.	1	.	1	1	.
99	Worthy, Jerel	13-13	15	10	25	8.5-40	3.5-28	.	1	3	1-0	.	2	.
14	Lippett, Tony	13-4	9	9	18	0.5-1	.	.	5	.	1-15	.	.	.
34	Jones, Taiwan	13-0	3	15	18	0.5-4	0.5-4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
98	White,Anthony Rashad	12-3	6	12	18	1.0-3	0.5-3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
50	Gardiner, Steve	12-3	7	10	17	.	.	.	1	1	1-0	.	.	.
27	Drummond, Kurtis	11-0	8	8	16	1.0-10	1.0-10	2-34	.	.	.	1	.	.
52	Drone, Denzel	13-2	4	8	12	3.0-8	2.5-8	1-0	1	2	1-0	.	.	.
49	Hammock, TyQuan	13-0	5	6	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
23	Jones, Jairus	5-0	6	5	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
47	Gainer, Jeremy	13-0	6	5	11	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.
32	White, Mitchell	13-0	4	4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
57	Strayhorn, Johnathan	10-0	2	4	6	1.5-5	0.5-4	.	2	1	.	.	.	.
55	Freeman, Corey	9-0	2	3	5	1.5-7	0.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	Langford, Jeremy	13-0	2	2	4	1.0-5	1.0-5	.	.	.	2-37	.	.	.
48	Stevens, Drew	9-0	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	Folino, Danny	3-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
69	Pacheco, Blake	3-0	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	Nichol, Keith	13-5	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	Muma, Kevin	13-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	Dixon, Dana	8-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
60	Reynolds, Micajah	11-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
81	Sonntag, Brad	13-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	Sims, Dion	13-3	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3	Cunningham, B.J.	13-12	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
94	Calero, Taylor	1-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3A	Sadler, Mike	13-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4H	Hamilton, Ty	2-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24	Bell, Le'Veon	13-5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	Mumphery, Keith	13-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	Hill, Nick	13-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5G	Giampapa, Matt	13-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
58	Sanders, Jordan	7-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6C	Curtis, Doug	2-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
91	Hoover, Tyler	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
TM	TEAM	9-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Total	13	439	432	871	88-385	41-279	16-308	40	42	6-52	12	4	1
	Opponents	13	456	482	938	66-216	15-96	7-140	43	37	8-0	10	1	.

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Michigan State Passing Game-by-Game (Regular Season)
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#8 Cousins, Kirk	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Youngstown State	18	22	0	81.8	222	1	55	1-6	181.58
Florida Atlantic	16	20	0	80.0	183	2	39	1-6	189.86
Notre Dame	34	53	1	64.2	329	1	25	2-18	118.75
Central Michigan	13	22	1	59.1	213	1	54	0-0	146.33
Ohio State	20	32	2	62.5	250	1	52	0-0	125.94
Michigan	13	24	0	54.2	120	2	16	0-0	123.67
Wisconsin	22	31	0	71.0	290	3	44	4-27	181.48
Nebraska	11	27	1	40.7	86	0	20	4-21	60.09
Minnesota	23	34	0	67.6	296	2	69	2-13	160.19
Iowa	18	31	0	58.1	260	3	67	0-0	160.45
Indiana	16	23	0	69.6	272	3	63	0-0	211.95
Northwestern	14	20	1	70.0	214	2	46	0-0	182.88
Wisconsin	22	30	1	73.3	281	3	44	0-0	178.35
TOTALS	240	369	7	65.0	3016	24	69	14-91	151.37

#1M Maxwell, Andrew	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Youngstown State	1	1	0	100.0	15	0	15	0-0	226.00
Florida Atlantic	6	10	0	60.0	63	0	30	1-5	112.92
Central Michigan	7	8	0	87.5	71	1	31	0-0	203.30
Indiana	4	7	0	57.1	22	0	9	0-0	83.54
TOTALS	18	26	0	69.2	171	1	31	1-5	137.17

#1B Badovinac, P.	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Florida Atlantic	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
Indiana	1	1	0	100.0	2	0	2	0-0	116.80
TOTALS	1	2	0	50.0	2	0	2	0-0	58.40

#82 Martin, Keshawn	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Iowa	1	1	0	100.0	28	0	28	0-0	335.20
TOTALS	1	1	0	100.0	28	0	28	0-0	335.20

#81 Sonntag, Brad	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Notre Dame	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
TOTALS	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00

#TM TEAM	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Florida Atlantic	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
TOTALS	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00

Kirk Cousins has thrown for more than 200 yards in 10 games this season, including 290 yards in Michigan State's win over Wisconsin on Oct. 22 at Spartan Stadium.

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Michigan State Rushing/Receiving Game-by-Game (Regular Season)
All games

RUSHING	No-Yds/TD	YSU	FAU	ND	CMU	OSU	MICH	WIS	NEB	MINN	IOWA	IND	NU	WIS
Bell, Le'Veon RB	165-900/11	9-40/2	14-69/1	7-27/0	8-81/3	14-50/0	7-20/0	16-87/0	12-58/0	15-96/2	20-112/1	9-68/0	16-86/1	18-106/1
Baker, Edwin RB	164-655/5	15-91/0	9-50/1	10-26/0	16-49/0	12-36/0	26-167/1	11-15/0	10-38/0	8-20/0	13-51/0	10-34/2	15-47/0	9-31/1
Martin, Keshawn WR	17-121/2	2-11/0	-	1--3/0	-	-	3-20/0	1-34/1	2-5/0	1-1/0	-	1-19/1	1-8/0	5-26/0
Caper, Larry RB	30-116/1	4-22/1	9-27/0	-	11-52/0	1--1/0	-	-	-	DNP	-	5-16/0	DNP	DNP
Hill, Nick RB	29-113/0	2-7/0	14-56/0	-	8-20/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	5-30/0	-	-
Cunningham, B. WR	3-26/0	-	-	1--1/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-3/0	-	-	-	1-24/0
Fowler, Bennie WR	1-6/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-6/0	-	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP
Sonntag, Brad WR	1-5/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-5/0	-	-	-
Foreman, Joel OG	1-3/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-3/0	-	-
Anderson, Todd FB	1-1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1/0	-	-
Maxwell, Andrew QB	5--2/0	-	2--4/0	DNP	2--2/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-4/0	DNP	DNP
Lippett, Tony	1--3/0	-	1--3/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TEAM	9--21/0	-	1--1/0	DNP	2--3/0	2--9/0	DNP	-	-	1--1/0	2--6/0	1--1/0	DNP	DNP
Cousins, Kirk QB	33--62/0	3--12/0	1--6/0	4--20/0	-	2--5/0	2-0/0	4--27/0	6-0/0	2--13/0	4--7/0	-	4-25/0	1-3/0

RECEIVING	No-Yds/TD	YSU	FAU	ND	CMU	OSU	MICH	WIS	NEB	MINN	IOWA	IND	NU	WIS
Cunningham, B. WR	72-1240/12	9-130/1	5-73/0	12-158/0	3-67/0	9-154/1	4-39/0	6-102/1	-	3-104/0	4-46/2	6-132/2	6-120/2	5-115/3
Martin, Keshawn WR	62-742/4	2-28/0	7-72/0	5-32/0	-	5-45/0	3-31/2	5-41/1	5-58/0	7-77/0	4-87/0	8-99/1	2-57/0	9-115/0
Nichol, Keith WR	22-299/2	1-14/0	2-40/0	1-9/0	3-54/0	2-21/0	2-20/0	1-44/1	-	3-41/1	2-13/0	1-4/0	-	4-39/0
Linthicum, B. TE	24-249/0	2-11/0	-	1-8/0	1-5/0	-	2-22/0	3-58/0	2-16/0	2-14/0	5-71/0	2-12/0	3-31/0	1-1/0
Bell, Le'Veon RB	30-228/0	-	-	5-23/0	1-17/0	2-17/0	1-5/0	4-27/0	3-12/0	5-38/0	2-49/0	1-23/0	3-6/0	3-11/0
Sims, Dion TE	12-99/3	-	4-27/1	3-38/1	2-15/1	1-7/0	-	2-12/0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caper, Larry RB	10-86/1	3-37/0	-	4-25/0	1-15/1	-	1-3/0	1-6/0	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	DNP
Baker, Edwin RB	5-60/1	-	1-9/0	2-15/0	1-19/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-17/1	-	-	-
Lippett, Tony	4-44/0	1-15/0	-	-	3-29/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sonntag, Brad WR	6-44/0	-	1-9/0	-	4-32/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-3/0	-	-
Mumphery, Keith WR	2-39/0	-	1-8/0	-	1-31/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Celek, Garrett TE	3-35/1	-	1-8/1	-	-	1-6/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-21/0	-	-
Anderson, Todd FB	5-30/1	1-2/0	-	1-21/0	-	-	-	-	1-0/0	1-2/1	1-5/0	-	-	-
Fowler, Bennie WR	2-20/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	2-20/0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP
Palazeti, Niko FB	1-2/0	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-2/0	DNP	DNP

Michigan State Total Tackles Game-by-Game (Regular Season)
All games

Total Tackles	UA-A	Total	YSU	FAU	ND	CMU	OSU	MICH	WIS	NEB	MINN	IOWA	IND	NU	WIS
Bullough, Max LB	34-52	86	3-12	2-2	1-1	0-3	4-5	2-6	1-3	1-4	3-5	8-5	0-1	6-2	3-3
Allen, Denicos LB	41-37	78	2-7	-	4-3	3-2	2-2	3-4	3-2	0-6	2-1	3-6	5-4	5-0	9-0
Robinson, T. S	43-31	74	2-2	1-1	2-1	1-4	3-0	5-1	4-4	3-5	4-2	1-3	3-2	7-1	7-5
Lewis, Isaiah S	33-38	71	0-3	1-1	5-4	1-2	4-4	1-5	3-3	3-3	6-6	2-3	2-2	4-1	1-1
Norman, Chris LB	36-35	71	1-5	1-1	2-5	1-2	7-0	6-4	6-3	DNP	DNP	2-4	1-4	5-2	4-5
Gholston, W. DE	29-34	63	1-5	1-0	3-1	1-0	5-0	1-2	DNP	4-11	5-9	1-2	2-1	2-2	3-1
Rush, Marcus DE	25-26	51	1-3	0-2	3-4	1-0	4-0	2-1	0-5	7-4	0-3	2-1	1-1	4-1	0-1
Adams, Johnny CB	35-14	49	6-1	-	4-1	1-1	3-1	4-0	5-2	4-1	2-3	3-1	2-1	1-0	0-2
Dennard, D. CB	27-11	38	4-2	2-0	2-0	1-1	3-1	0-2	4-2	5-1	DNP	1-0	-	DNP	5-2
Pickelman, K. DL	19-18	37	0-2	1-0	2-1	1-1	1-0	2-2	1-3	0-5	0-4	1-0	2-0	8-0	-
Elsworth, Kyler LB	14-22	36	-	1-2	0-1	2-3	-	1-0	2-1	3-7	2-5	-	0-2	2-0	1-1
Worthy, Jerel DT	15-10	25	1-1	1-0	3-1	1-0	1-1	1-1	2-1	0-2	0-2	-	2-0	2-0	1-1
Lippett, Tony CB	9-9	18	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	0-2	1-1	2-1	2-2	2-3	1-0
Jones, Taiwan LB	3-15	18	0-1	1-2	0-1	0-3	-	-	0-1	1-0	0-3	0-1	1-3	-	-
White, A.R. NT	6-12	18	1-1	1-2	0-1	DNP	-	0-1	0-1	1-1	0-2	2-2	-	1-0	0-1
Gardiner, Steve LB	7-10	17	0-3	1-0	-	1-1	3-0	0-1	1-4	1-0	0-1	DNP	-	-	-
Drummond, K. S	8-8	16	0-1	1-2	1-0	-	1-1	3-0	1-0	0-1	1-2	0-1	DNP	DNP	-
Drone, Denzel DE	4-8	12	0-2	-	-	-	1-0	-	0-3	0-1	1-0	-	1-1	1-1	-
Gainer, Jeremy LB	6-5	11	0-1	-	1-1	0-2	-	1-0	-	-	-	2-0	2-1	-	-
Jones, Jairus S	6-5	11	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	3-0	2-3	1-1	0-1
Hammock, TyQuan LB	5-6	11	0-1	-	-	2-3	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	2-1	1-0	-
White, Mitchell CB	4-4	8	-	2-1	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	1-1	1-0	0-1
Strayhorn, J. DL	2-4	6	0-1	0-1	-	1-0	0-1	-	1-0	-	-	0-1	DNP	DNP	DNP
Freeman, Corey DE	2-3	5	-	1-1	0-1	-	-	-	0-1	-	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP
Stevens, Drew	2-2	4	DNP	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	2-0	-	0-1	-	0-1
Langford, J. CB	2-2	4	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2-1	-	-
Folino, Danny LB	3-1	4	DNP	1-0	DNP	0-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	2-0	DNP	DNP
Dixon, Dana S	2-1	3	-	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	2-1	DNP	DNP
Muma, Kevin	2-1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	1-0
Nichol, Keith	2-1	3	-	-	-	0-1	1-0	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pacheco, Blake DT	0-3	3	DNP	0-2	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1	DNP	DNP
Sims, Dion	1-1	2	-	-	-	0-1	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sonntag, Brad	2-0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	1-0
Reynolds, M.	1-1	2	DNP	1-1	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
Sep 02	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	35	159	3	23	19	237	1	55	19-23-0	237	1	55	2	41	0	29	2	5	0	2	396
Sep 10	FLORIDA ATLANTIC	51	188	2	22	22	246	2	39	22-32-0	246	2	39	1	31	0	31	3	40	0	35	434
Sep 17	at Notre Dame	23	29	0	8	34	329	1	25	34-54-1	329	1	25	4	129	0	42	0	0	0	0	358
Sep 24	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	47	197	3	30	20	284	2	54	20-30-1	284	2	54	2	41	0	21	4	19	0	8	481
Oct 1	at Ohio State	31	71	0	12	20	250	1	52	20-32-2	250	1	52	0	0	0	0	5	18	0	7	321
Oct 15	MICHIGAN	39	213	1	25	13	120	2	16	13-24-0	120	2	16	3	47	0	21	1	13	0	13	333
Oct 22	WISCONSIN	32	109	1	34	22	290	3	44	22-31-0	290	3	44	7	134	0	25	1	36	1	0	399
Oct 29	at Nebraska	30	101	0	13	11	86	0	20	11-27-1	86	0	20	4	119	0	62	3	31	0	15	187
Nov 05	MINNESOTA	28	106	2	35	23	296	2	69	23-34-0	296	2	69	5	117	0	36	1	11	0	11	402
Nov 12	at Iowa	40	155	1	25	19	288	3	67	19-32-0	288	3	67	3	83	0	43	2	18	0	20	443
Nov 19	INDIANA	34	174	3	21	21	296	3	63	21-31-0	296	3	63	2	72	0	67	5	64	0	30	470
Nov 26	at Northwestern	36	166	1	21	14	214	2	46	14-20-1	214	2	46	4	79	0	29	1	57	1	57	380
Dec 03	vs Wisconsin	34	190	2	26	22	281	3	44	22-30-1	281	3	44	5	128	0	39	1	12	0	12	471
		460	1858	19	35	260	3217	25	69	260-400-7	3217	25	69	42	1021	0	67	29	324	2	57	5075
Opponents		463	1356	11	39	196	2189	18	69	196-369-16	2189	18	69	59	1398	1	89	12	119	0	33	3545

Games played: 13
Avg per rush: 4.0
Avg per catch: 12.4
Pass efficiency: 149.68
Kick ret avg: 24.3
Punt ret avg: 11.2
All purpose avg/game: 517.5
Total offense avg/gm: 390.4

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			Blkd	PAT Attempts				
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	pts
Sep 02	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	22	54	76	6.0-13	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-13	5	5	1	4-4	0	0	0	28
Sep 10	FLORIDA ATLANTIC	21	22	43	3.0-25	3.0-25	1	1-37	0-0	0	1	0	5-5	0	0	0	44
Sep 17	at Notre Dame	34	28	62	9.0-31	1.0-7	2	2-0	1-34	3	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	13
Sep 24	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	19	32	51	5.0-16	1.0-4	1	0-0	4-75	6	5	0	6-6	0	0	0	45
Oct 1	at Ohio State	44	16	60	13.0-71	9.0-64	0	0-0	1-0	0	1	0	1-1	0	0	0	10
Oct 15	MICHIGAN	32	30	62	10.0-68	7.0-62	1	0-0	1-39	3	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	28
Oct 22	WISCONSIN	35	40	75	7.0-21	2.0-12	0	0-0	2-6	5	0	2	3-3	0	1	1	37
Oct 29	at Nebraska	34	54	88	6.0-19	1.0-5	2	0-0	1-25	1	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	3
Nov 05	MINNESOTA	29	50	79	4.0-12	2.0-8	1	0-0	2-0	4	2	0	4-4	0	0	0	31
Nov 12	at Iowa	35	32	67	4.0-20	3.0-17	2	2-15	1-30	0	6	1	4-4	0	0	0	37
Nov 19	INDIANA	40	34	74	8.0-32	3.0-24	0	0-0	2-86	9	6	0	7-7	0	0	0	55
Nov 26	at Northwestern	56	14	70	7.0-33	6.0-31	2	1-0	0-0	2	7	0	4-4	0	0	0	31
Dec 03	vs Wisconsin	38	26	64	6.0-24	3.0-15	0	0-0	0-0	4	0	0	4-4	1	0	0	39
		439	432	871	88.0-385	40.0-274	12	6-52	16-308	42	40	4	47-47	1	1	1	401
Opponents		456	482	938	66.0-216	15.0-96	10	8-0	7-140	37	43	1	27-28	0	1	0	227

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Sep 02	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	3	115	38.3	41	0	0	1	0	1	0-1	0	0	5	328	65.6	1	0
Sep 10	FLORIDA ATLANTIC	1	36	36.0	36	0	0	1	0	1	3-4	50	0	9	605	67.2	3	0
Sep 17	at Notre Dame	6	238	39.7	55	0	1	3	1	1	2-2	40	0	4	257	64.2	0	0
Sep 24	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	3	87	29.0	46	1	1	1	0	0	1-1	23	0	8	535	66.9	0	0
Oct 1	at Ohio State	6	245	40.8	51	0	0	1	1	3	1-2	50	0	3	188	62.7	0	0
Oct 15	MICHIGAN	5	205	41.0	45	0	0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0	5	333	66.6	3	0
Oct 22	WISCONSIN	7	266	38.0	49	0	0	1	0	2	0-0	0	0	5	326	65.2	1	0
Oct 29	at Nebraska	5	182	36.4	40	0	1	1	0	1	1-2	28	0	2	140	70.0	1	0
Nov 05	MINNESOTA	5	175	35.0	44	0	1	3	0	4	1-1	40	0	6	369	61.5	1	0
Nov 12	at Iowa	6	277	46.2	54	0	1	1	1	3	3-4	48	0	8	513	64.1	3	0
Nov 19	INDIANA	3	142	47.3	53	0	1	1	1	1	2-2	33	0	10	655	65.5	2	0
Nov 26	at Northwestern	4	156	39.0	44	0	0	0	0	2	1-1	25	0	6	376	62.7	1	0
Dec 03	vs Wisconsin	3	126	42.0	45	0	0	1	0	2	1-2	25	0	7	458	65.4	1	1
		57	2250	39.5	55	1	6	15	4	22	16-22	50	0	78	5083	65.2	17	1
Opponents		79	3093	39.2	60	1	4	22	8	18	6-9	34	2	49	3107	63.4	7	0

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OPPONENT STATISTICS

		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
Sep 02	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	34	128	0	20	17	126	1	21	17-35-1	126	1	21	4	82	0	30	1	-1	0	0	254
Sep 10	FLORIDA ATLANTIC	20	22	0	14	6	26	0	8	6-13-0	26	0	8	6	165	0	53	0	0	0	0	48
Sep 17	at Notre Dame	32	114	2	22	18	161	1	33	18-26-1	161	1	33	4	142	1	89	2	-3	0	1	275
Sep 24	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	18	21	0	15	12	91	1	21	12-33-4	91	1	21	8	173	0	32	1	30	0	0	112
Oct 1	at Ohio State	39	35	0	13	12	143	1	33	12-25-1	143	1	33	3	67	0	32	1	15	0	15	178
Oct 15	MICHIGAN	36	82	1	26	12	168	1	34	12-31-1	168	1	34	2	32	0	17	2	22	0	18	250
Oct 22	WISCONSIN	41	220	2	22	14	223	2	42	14-21-2	223	2	42	4	83	0	25	2	41	0	33	443
Oct 29	at Nebraska	58	190	2	39	7	80	1	27	7-13-1	80	1	27	1	28	0	28	1	-4	0	0	270
Nov 05	MINNESOTA	40	120	0	19	19	295	3	64	19-34-2	295	3	64	4	69	0	21	0	0	0	0	415
Nov 12	at Iowa	30	87	1	19	22	262	2	48	22-47-1	262	2	48	5	132	0	61	1	8	0	8	349
Nov 19	INDIANA	37	94	0	12	15	142	0	22	15-32-2	142	0	22	8	196	0	36	0	0	0	0	236
Nov 26	at Northwestern	41	117	0	17	24	253	2	69	24-34-0	253	2	69	5	88	0	31	0	0	0	0	370
Dec 03	vs Wisconsin	37	126	3	26	18	219	3	42	18-25-0	219	3	42	5	141	0	44	1	11	0	11	345
		463	1356	11	39	196	2189	18	69	196-369-16	2189	18	69	59	1398	1	89	12	119	0	33	3545
Michigan State		460	1858	19	35	260	3217	25	69	260-400-7	3217	25	69	42	1021	0	67	29	324	2	57	5075

Games played: 13
Avg per rush: 2.9
Avg per catch: 11.2
Pass efficiency: 110.37
Kick ret avg: 23.7
Punt ret avg: 9.9
All purpose avg/game: 400.2
Total offense avg/gm: 272.7

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			Blkd	PAT Attempts				
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	pts
Sep 02	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	34	28	62	5.0-16	1.0-6	0	1-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-1	0	0	0	6
Sep 10	FLORIDA ATLANTIC	42	48	90	7.0-19	2.0-11	1	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Sep 17	at Notre Dame	30	58	88	5.0-23	2.0-18	1	1-0	1-82	10	9	0	4-4	0	0	0	31
Sep 24	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	33	64	97	4.0-5	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-28	2	2	1	1-1	0	0	0	7
Oct 1	at Ohio State	35	28	63	5.0-12	0.0-0	1	1-0	2-4	0	4	0	1-1	0	0	0	7
Oct 15	MICHIGAN	39	26	65	6.0-11	0.0-0	2	2-0	0-0	3	0	0	2-2	0	0	0	14
Oct 22	WISCONSIN	36	36	72	9.0-41	4.0-27	2	1-0	0-0	5	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	31
Oct 29	at Nebraska	30	36	66	7.0-27	4.0-21	0	0-0	1-26	4	7	0	3-3	0	0	0	24
Nov 05	MINNESOTA	28	36	64	4.0-16	2.0-13	1	1-0	0-0	3	2	0	3-3	0	0	0	24
Nov 12	at Iowa	36	36	72	5.0-18	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	4	3	0	3-3	0	0	0	21
Nov 19	INDIANA	36	34	70	3.0-6	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	5	0	0-0	0	0	0	3
Nov 26	at Northwestern	44	12	56	1.0-3	0.0-0	1	0-0	1-0	4	2	0	2-2	0	0	0	17
Dec 03	vs Wisconsin	33	40	73	5.0-19	0.0-0	1	1-0	1-0	0	3	0	4-4	0	1	0	42
		456	482	938	66.0-216	15.0-96	10	8-0	7-140	37	43	1	27-28	0	1	0	227
Michigan State		439	432	871	88.0-385	40.0-274	12	6-52	16-308	42	40	4	47-47	1	1	1	401

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Sep 02	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	5	173	34.6	38	0	1	1	0	2	0-1	0	0	2	115	57.5	0	0
Sep 10	FLORIDA ATLANTIC	9	363	40.3	56	0	0	5	2	1	0-0	0	0	1	63	63.0	0	0
Sep 17	at Notre Dame	4	166	41.5	50	0	0	0	1	2	1-1	33	0	6	407	67.8	2	0
Sep 24	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	7	266	38.0	48	0	0	1	0	1	0-0	0	0	2	132	66.0	0	0
Oct 1	at Ohio State	10	406	40.6	47	0	0	2	0	2	0-0	0	0	1	70	70.0	1	0
Oct 15	MICHIGAN	7	223	31.9	42	0	1	1	0	4	0-0	0	0	3	158	52.7	0	0
Oct 22	WISCONSIN	3	83	27.7	46	1	1	1	0	0	1-2	33	1	7	455	65.0	0	0
Oct 29	at Nebraska	4	173	43.2	60	0	0	1	1	1	1-1	20	0	5	336	67.2	1	0
Nov 05	MINNESOTA	5	183	36.6	42	0	0	2	0	0	1-1	27	0	5	317	63.4	0	0
Nov 12	at Iowa	7	287	41.0	51	0	0	3	1	2	0-1	0	1	4	271	67.8	1	0
Nov 19	INDIANA	9	368	40.9	49	0	0	1	0	0	1-1	22	0	2	104	52.0	0	0
Nov 26	at Northwestern	4	177	44.2	57	0	1	0	2	2	1-1	34	0	4	244	61.0	0	0
Dec 03	vs Wisconsin	5	225	45.0	54	0	0	4	1	1	0-0	0	0	7	435	62.1	2	0
		79	3093	39.2	60	1	4	22	8	18	6-9	34	2	49	3107	63.4	7	0
Michigan State		57	2250	39.5	55	1	6	15	4	22	16-22	50	0	78	5083	65.2	17	1

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		First Downs				Rushing	Passing		Total Offense	Return	Turn-
Opponent	Score	Total	Rush	Pass	Pen	Number-Yards	Comp-Att-Int	Yards	Plays-Yards	Yards	Overs
YOUNGSTOWN STATE	28 - 6	22 / 20	11 / 9	10 / 9	1 / 2	35-159 / 34-128	19-23-0 / 17-35-1	237 / 126	58-396 / 69-254	59 / 81	1 / 1
FLORIDA ATLANTIC	44 - 0	27 / 1	12 / 0	13 / 1	2 / 0	51-188 / 20-22	22-32-0 / 6-13-0	246 / 26	83-434 / 33-48	108 / 165	0 / 1
Notre Dame	13 - 31	21 / 18	1 / 6	18 / 8	2 / 4	23-29 / 32-114	34-54-1 / 18-26-1	329 / 161	77-358 / 58-275	163 / 221	2 / 3
CENTRAL MICHIGAN	45 - 7	23 / 8	9 / 3	12 / 5	2 / 0	47-197 / 18-21	20-30-1 / 12-33-4	284 / 91	77-481 / 51-112	135 / 231	1 / 4
Ohio State	10 - 7	15 / 12	2 / 4	12 / 6	1 / 2	31-71 / 39-35	20-32-2 / 12-25-1	250 / 143	63-321 / 64-178	18 / 86	3 / 1
MICHIGAN	28 - 14	16 / 20	9 / 8	7 / 6	0 / 6	39-213 / 36-82	13-24-0 / 12-31-1	120 / 168	63-333 / 67-250	99 / 54	2 / 1
WISCONSIN	37 - 31	18 / 23	5 / 11	13 / 12	0 / 0	32-109 / 41-220	22-31-0 / 14-21-2	290 / 223	63-399 / 62-443	176 / 124	1 / 2
Nebraska	3 - 24	12 / 18	7 / 8	3 / 5	2 / 5	30-101 / 58-190	11-27-1 / 7-13-1	86 / 80	57-187 / 71-270	175 / 50	1 / 1
MINNESOTA	31 - 24	19 / 22	5 / 5	12 / 16	2 / 1	28-106 / 40-120	23-34-0 / 19-34-2	296 / 295	62-402 / 74-415	128 / 69	1 / 2
Iowa	37 - 21	19 / 20	8 / 3	11 / 13	0 / 4	40-155 / 30-87	19-32-0 / 22-47-1	288 / 262	72-443 / 77-349	146 / 140	0 / 3
INDIANA	55 - 3	22 / 12	10 / 3	12 / 8	0 / 1	34-174 / 37-94	21-31-0 / 15-32-2	296 / 142	65-470 / 69-236	222 / 196	0 / 2
Northwestern	31 - 17	20 / 21	9 / 10	9 / 8	2 / 3	36-166 / 41-117	14-20-1 / 24-34-0	214 / 253	56-380 / 75-370	136 / 88	1 / 1
Wisconsin	39 - 42	23 / 16	9 / 4	14 / 9	0 / 3	34-190 / 37-126	22-30-1 / 18-25-0	281 / 219	64-471 / 62-345	140 / 152	2 / 0
Totals	401 - 227	257 / 211	97 / 74	146 / 106	14 / 31	460-1858 / 463-1356	260-400-7 / 196-369-16	3217 / 2189	860-5075 / 832-3545	1705 / 1657	15 / 22

	3rd Down	4th Down	Time of	TOP	Avg	Avg	Avg	Punting	Penalties	
Opponent	Conversions	Conversions	Possession	Margin	Yds/Rush	Yds/Pass	Yds/Play	Number-Avg	Number-Yards	Sacks
YOUNGSTOWN STATE	3-7 / 8-15	0-0 / 0-1	28:51 / 31:09	-2:18	4.5 / 3.8	10.3 / 3.6	6.8 / 3.7	3-38.3 / 5-34.6	8-55 / 4-32	0 / 1
FLORIDA ATLANTIC	8-18 / 0-10	3-3 / 0-0	42:26 / 17:34	24:52	3.7 / 1.1	7.7 / 2.0	5.2 / 1.5	1-36.0 / 9-40.3	3-20 / 5-55	3 / 2
Notre Dame	5-17 / 5-12	1-3 / 0-0	32:28 / 27:32	4:56	1.3 / 3.6	6.1 / 6.2	4.6 / 4.7	6-39.7 / 4-41.5	12-86 / 6-53	1 / 2
CENTRAL MICHIGAN	6-15 / 2-12	1-2 / 0-1	38:05 / 21:55	16:10	4.2 / 1.2	9.5 / 2.8	6.2 / 2.2	3-29.0 / 7-38.0	4-20 / 3-26	1 / 0
Ohio State	3-14 / 4-16	0-1 / 1-2	28:26 / 31:34	-3:08	2.3 / 0.9	7.8 / 5.7	5.1 / 2.8	6-40.8 / 10-40.6	6-54 / 9-82	9 / 0
MICHIGAN	7-14 / 3-15	0-0 / 2-4	30:33 / 29:27	1:06	5.5 / 2.3	5.0 / 5.4	5.3 / 3.7	5-41.0 / 7-31.9	13-124 / 5-40	7 / 0
WISCONSIN	8-16 / 4-9	1-1 / 0-0	31:31 / 28:29	3:02	3.4 / 5.4	9.4 / 10.6	6.3 / 7.1	7-38.0 / 3-27.7	0-0 / 6-40	2 / 4
Nebraska	3-14 / 7-15	1-3 / 0-0	28:35 / 31:25	-2:50	3.4 / 3.3	3.2 / 6.2	3.3 / 3.8	5-36.4 / 4-43.2	9-90 / 9-58	1 / 4
MINNESOTA	4-13 / 6-14	1-2 / 0-1	25:32 / 34:28	-8:56	3.8 / 3.0	8.7 / 8.7	6.5 / 5.6	5-35.0 / 5-36.6	5-40 / 8-73	2 / 2
Iowa	4-16 / 6-17	1-1 / 1-2	33:24 / 26:36	6:48	3.9 / 2.9	9.0 / 5.6	6.2 / 4.5	6-46.2 / 7-41.0	7-75 / 6-39	3 / 0
INDIANA	6-12 / 3-15	0-1 / 0-2	30:04 / 29:56	0:08	5.1 / 2.5	9.5 / 4.4	7.2 / 3.4	3-47.3 / 9-40.9	5-45 / 8-75	3 / 0
Northwestern	8-13 / 7-17	0-0 / 4-5	29:10 / 30:50	-1:40	4.6 / 2.9	10.7 / 7.4	6.8 / 4.9	4-39.0 / 4-44.2	8-66 / 6-70	6 / 0
Wisconsin	7-13 / 6-14	1-1 / 1-1	29:55 / 30:05	-0:10	5.6 / 3.4	9.4 / 8.8	7.4 / 5.6	3-42.0 / 5-45.0	7-50 / 5-30	3 / 0
Totals	72-182 / 61-181	10-18 / 9-19	409:00 / 371:00	38:00	4.0 / 2.9	8.0 / 5.9	5.9 / 4.3	57-39.5 / 79-39.2	87-725 / 80-673	41 / 15

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	26	Baker, Edwin vs Michigan (Oct 15, 2011)
Yards Rushing	167	Baker, Edwin vs Michigan (Oct 15, 2011)
TD Rushes	3	Bell, Le'Veon vs Central Michigan (Sep 24, 2011)
Long Rush	35	Bell, Le'Veon vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
Pass attempts	53	Cousins, Kirk at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
Pass completions	34	Cousins, Kirk at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
Yards Passing	329	Cousins, Kirk at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
TD Passes	3	Cousins, Kirk vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
	3	Cousins, Kirk at Iowa (Nov 12, 2011)
	3	Cousins, Kirk vs Indiana (Nov 19, 2011)
	3	Cousins, Kirk vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Long Pass	69	Cousins, Kirk vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
Receptions	12	Cunningham, B.J. at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
Yards Receiving	158	Cunningham, B.J. at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
TD Receptions	3	Cunningham, B.J. vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Long Reception	69	Cunningham, B.J. vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
Field Goals	3	Conroy, Dan at Iowa (Nov 12, 2011)
Long Field Goal	50	Conroy, Dan vs Florida Atlantic (Sep 10, 2011)
	50	Conroy, Dan at Ohio State (Oct 1, 2011)
Punts	7	Sadler, Mike vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
Punting Avg	47.3	Selden, Kyle vs Indiana (Nov 19, 2011)
Long Punt	55	Sadler, Mike at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
Long Punt Return	57	Martin, Keshawn at Northwestern (Nov 26, 2011)
Long Kickoff Return	67	Hill, Nick vs Indiana (Nov 19, 2011)
Tackles	15	Bullough, Max vs Youngstown State (Sep 02, 2011)
	15	Gholston, William at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
Sacks	3.0	Allen, Denicos vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Tackles For Loss	4.0	Allen, Denicos vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Interceptions	2	Robinson, Trenton vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	35	Burkhead, Rex, at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
Yards Rushing	137	Ball, Montee, vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
TD Rushes	3	Ball, Montee, vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Long Rush	39	Marlowe, Tim, at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
Pass attempts	47	Vandenberg, J., at Iowa (Nov 12, 2011)
Pass completions	23	Persa, Dan, at Northwestern (Nov 26, 2011)
Yards Passing	295	Gray, MarQueis, vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
TD Passes	3	Gray, MarQueis, vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
	3	Wilson, Russell, vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Long Pass	69	Persa, Dan, at Northwestern (Nov 26, 2011)
Receptions	9	McKnight, DaJon, vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
	9	Muhammad, Dre, vs Indiana (Nov 19, 2011)
Yards Receiving	173	McKnight, DaJon, vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
TD Receptions	3	McKnight, DaJon, vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
Long Reception	69	Dunsmore, Drake, at Northwestern (Nov 26, 2011)
Field Goals	1	RUFFER, at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
	1	Welch, Philip, vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
	1	Maher, Brett, at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
	1	Wettstein, vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
	1	Ewald, Mitch, vs Indiana (Nov 19, 2011)
	1	Budzien, Jeff, at Northwestern (Nov 26, 2011)
Long Field Goal	34	Budzien, Jeff, at Northwestern (Nov 26, 2011)
Punts	10	Buchanan, Ben, at Ohio State (Oct 1, 2011)
Punting Avg	45.0	Nortman, Brad, vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Long Punt	60	Maher, Brett, at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
Long Punt Return	33	Abbrederis, Jar, vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
Long Kickoff Return	89	ATKINSON III, at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
Tackles	13	Hinds, David, vs Florida Atlantic (Sep 10, 2011)
	13	Borland, Chris, vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
	13	David, Lavonte, at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
Sacks	2.0	Martin, Eric, at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	BLANTON, at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
Interceptions	1	BLANTON, at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)

TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	51	vs Florida Atlantic (Sep 10, 2011)
Yards Rushing	213	vs Michigan (Oct 15, 2011)
Yards Per Rush	5.6	vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
TD Rushes	3	vs Youngstown State (Sep 02, 2011)
	3	vs Central Michigan (Sep 24, 2011)
	3	vs Indiana (Nov 19, 2011)
Pass attempts	54	at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
Pass completions	34	at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
Yards Passing	329	at Notre Dame (Sep 17, 2011)
Yards Per Pass	10.7	at Northwestern (Nov 26, 2011)
TD Passes	3	vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
	3	at Iowa (Nov 12, 2011)
	3	vs Indiana (Nov 19, 2011)
	3	vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Total Plays	83	vs Florida Atlantic (Sep 10, 2011)
Total Offense	481	vs Central Michigan (Sep 24, 2011)
Yards Per Play	7.4	vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Points	55	vs Indiana (Nov 19, 2011)
Sacks By	9	at Ohio State (Oct 1, 2011)
First Downs	27	vs Florida Atlantic (Sep 10, 2011)
Penalties	13	vs Michigan (Oct 15, 2011)
Penalty Yards	124	vs Michigan (Oct 15, 2011)
Turnovers	3	at Ohio State (Oct 1, 2011)
Interceptions By	4	vs Central Michigan (Sep 24, 2011)

OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	58	at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
Yards Rushing	220	vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
Yards Per Rush	5.4	vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
TD Rushes	3	vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Pass attempts	47	at Iowa (Nov 12, 2011)
Pass completions	24	at Northwestern (Nov 26, 2011)
Yards Passing	295	vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
Yards Per Pass	10.6	vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
TD Passes	3	vs Minnesota (Nov 05, 2011)
	3	vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Total Plays	77	at Iowa (Nov 12, 2011)
Total Offense	443	vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
Yards Per Play	7.1	vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
Points	42	vs Wisconsin (Dec 03, 2011)
Sacks By	4	vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
	4	at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
First Downs	23	vs Wisconsin (Oct 22, 2011)
Penalties	9	at Ohio State (Oct 1, 2011)
	9	at Nebraska (Oct 29, 2011)
Penalty Yards	82	at Ohio State (Oct 1, 2011)
Turnovers	4	vs Central Michigan (Sep 24, 2011)
Interceptions By	2	at Ohio State (Oct 1, 2011)

Edwin Baker recorded 167 yards rushing on 26 carries in Michigan State's fourth-straight win over Michigan, both season highs for a Spartan in 2011.

2011 BIG TEN STANDINGS

TEAM	-CONFERENCE- W	L	PCT.	PF	PA	-OVERALL- W	L	PCT.	PF	PA
Legends Division										
1. **Michigan State**	7	1	.875	232	141	10	3	.769	401	227
2. Michigan	6	2	.750	282	155	10	2	.833	410	206
3. Nebraska	5	3	.625	195	186	9	3	.750	366	274
4. Iowa	4	4	.500	193	184	7	5	.583	344	279
5. Northwestern	3	5	.375	246	262	6	6	.500	354	327
6. Minnesota	2	6	.250	130	273	3	9	.250	221	380
Leaders Division										
1. Wisconsin	6	2	.750	344	148	11	2	.846	580	221
2. Penn State	6	2	.750	137	138	9	3	.750	237	188
3. Purdue	4	4	.500	195	231	6	6	.500	313	317
4. Ohio State	3	5	.375	189	186	6	6	.500	301	249
5. Illinois	2	6	.250	145	189	6	6	.500	274	241
6. Indiana	0	8	.000	147	342	1	11	.083	257	448

BIG TEN AWARDS

Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year
Montee Ball, Wisconsin

Nagurski-Woodson Defensive Player of the Year
Devon Still, Penn State

Thompson-Randle El Freshman of the Year
Braxton Miller, Ohio State

Hayes-Schembechler and Dave McClain Coach of the Year
Brady Hoke, Michigan

Griese-Brees Quarterback of the Year
Russell Wilson, Wisconsin

Richter-Howard Receiver of the Year
Marvin McNutt, Iowa

Ameche-Dayne Running Back of the Year
Montee Ball, Wisconsin

Kwalick-Clark Tight End of the Year
Drake Dunsmore, Northwestern

Rimington-Pace Offensive Lineman of the Year
David Molk, Michigan

Smith-Brown Defensive Lineman of the Year
Devon Still, Penn State

Butkus-Fitzgerald Linebacker of the Year
Lavonte David, Nebraska

Tatum-Woodson Defensive Back of the Year
Alfonzo Dennard, Nebraska

Bakken-Andersen Kicker of the Year
Brett Maher, Nebraska

Eddleman-Fields Punter of the Year
Brett Maher, Nebraska

Big Ten Sportsmanship Award (Michigan State only)
Kirk Cousins

COACHES' ALL-BIG TEN TEAM

FIRST TEAM	OFFENSE	SECOND TEAM
Russell Wilson, Wisconsin	Quarterback	**Kirk Cousins, Michigan State**
Rex Burkhead, Nebraska	Running Back	Marcus Coker, Iowa
Montee Ball, Wisconsin	Running Back	Silas Reed, Penn State
A.J. Jenkins, Illinois	Receiver	**B.J. Cunningham, Michigan State**
Marvin McNutt, Iowa	Receiver	Nick Toon, Wisconsin
David Molk, Michigan	Center	Mike Caputo, Nebraska* Mike Brewster, Ohio State*
Joel Foreman, Michigan State	Guard	Adam Gettis, Iowa
Kevin Zeitler, Wisconsin	Guard	Travis Frederick, Wisconsin
Riley Reiff, Iowa	Tackle	Taylor Lewan, Michigan
Josh Oglesby, Wisconsin	Tackle	Mike Adams, Ohio State
Drake Dunsmore, Northwestern	Tight End	**Brian Linthicum, Michigan State**
Brett Maher, Nebraska	Kicker	Carson Wiggs, Purdue

FIRST TEAM	DEFENSE	SECOND TEAM
Whitney Mercilus, Illinois	Line	Michael Buchanan, Illinois*
Jerel Worthy, Michigan State	Line	Mike Daniels, Iowa*
John Simon, Ohio State	Line	Mike Martin, Michigan*
Devon Still, Penn State	Line	**William Gholston, Michigan State*** Jack Crawford, Penn State* Kawann Short, Purdue*
Lavonte David, Nebraska	Linebacker	**Max Bullough, Michigan State**
Gerald Hodges, Penn State	Linebacker	Andrew Sweat, Ohio State
Chris Borland, Wisconsin	Linebacker	Mike Taylor, Wisconsin
Shaun Prater, Iowa	Defensive Back	**Isaiah Lewis, Michigan State**
Johnny Adams, Michigan State	Defensive Back	C.J. Barnett, Ohio State
Alfonzo Dennard, Nebraska	Defensive Back	Nick Sukay, Ohio State
Aaron Henry, Wisconsin	Defensive Back	Ricardo Allen, Purdue
Brett Maher, Nebraska	Punter	Cody Webster, Purdue

HONORABLE MENTION (Michigan State only): LB Denicos Allen, RB Le'Veon Bell, WR Keshawn Martin, S Trenton Robinson, DL Marcus Rush.

MEDIA ALL-BIG TEN TEAM

FIRST TEAM	OFFENSE	SECOND TEAM
Russell Wilson, Wisconsin	Quarterback	Denard Robinson, Michigan
Rex Burkhead, Nebraska	Running Back	Marcus Coker, Iowa
Montee Ball, Wisconsin	Running Back	Silas Reed, Penn State
A.J. Jenkins, Illinois	Receiver	**B.J. Cunningham, Michigan State**
Marvin McNutt, Iowa	Receiver	Jeremy Ebert, Northwestern
Peter Konz, Wisconsin	Center	David Molk, Michigan
Joel Foreman, Michigan State	Guard	Spencer Long, Nebraska
Kevin Zeitler, Wisconsin	Guard	Travis Frederick, Wisconsin
Riley Reiff, Iowa	Tackle	Jeff Allen, Illinois
Josh Oglesby, Wisconsin	Tackle	Mike Adams, Ohio State
Drake Dunsmore, Northwestern	Tight End	Jacob Pedersen, Wisconsin
Brett Maher, Nebraska	Kicker	Anthony Fera, Penn State

FIRST TEAM	DEFENSE	SECOND TEAM
Whitney Mercilus, Illinois	Line	Michael Buchanan, Illinois*
Jerel Worthy, Michigan State	Line	Broderick Binns, Iowa*
Devon Still, Penn State	Line	Mike Martin, Michigan*
Kawann Short, Purdue	Line	**William Gholston, Michigan State*** John Simon, Ohio State* Kawann Short, Purdue*
Lavonte David, Nebraska	Linebacker	Jonathan Brown, Illinois
Chris Borland, Wisconsin	Linebacker	**Denicos Allen, Michigan State**
Mike Taylor, Wisconsin	Linebacker	Gerald Hodges, Penn State
Trenton Robinson, Michigan State	Defensive Back	Micah Hyde, Iowa
Alfonzo Dennard, Nebraska	Defensive Back	**Johnny Adams, Michigan State**
Brian Peters, Northwestern	Defensive Back	**Isaiah Lewis, Michigan State**
Antonio Fenelus, Wisconsin	Defensive Back	Nick Sukay, Penn State
Brett Maher, Nebraska	Punter	Cody Webster, Purdue

HONORABLE MENTION (Michigan State only): RB Le'Veon Bell, LB Max Bullough, K Dan Conroy, QB Kirk Cousins, CB Darqueze Dennard, TE Brian Linthicum, OG Chris McDonald, LB Chris Norman, DL Kevin Pickelman, DL Marcus Rush.

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SCORING OFFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. Wisconsin	13	80	7	75	2	0	0	580	44.6
2. Michigan	12	54	10	52	0	0	2	410	34.2
3. Michigan State	13	50	16	47	2	0	1	401	30.8
4. Nebraska	12	44	19	43	1	0	0	366	30.5
5. Northwestern	12	48	6	48	0	0	0	354	29.5
6. Iowa	12	43	14	42	1	0	0	344	28.7
7. Purdue	12	38	16	35	0	0	1	313	26.1
8. Ohio State	12	37	15	34	0	0	0	301	25.1
9. Illinois	12	36	8	32	1	0	0	274	22.8
10. Indiana	12	31	13	30	1	0	0	257	21.4
11. Penn State	12	27	16	25	1	0	0	237	19.8
12. Minnesota	12	27	12	23	0	0	0	221	18.4

SCORING DEFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. Penn State	12	22	12	20	0	0	0	188	15.7
2. Wisconsin	13	28	8	23	2	0	1	221	17.0
3. Michigan	12	26	8	26	0	0	0	206	17.2
4. Michigan State	13	30	6	27	1	0	0	227	17.5
5. Illinois	12	29	12	29	0	0	1	241	20.1
6. Ohio State	12	30	12	27	2	0	1	249	20.8
7. Nebraska	12	36	8	34	0	0	0	274	22.8
8. Iowa	12	34	15	30	0	0	0	279	23.2
9. Purdue	12	39	14	37	1	0	1	317	26.4
10. Northwestern	12	42	11	38	2	0	0	327	27.2
11. Minnesota	12	51	9	47	0	0	0	380	31.7
12. Indiana	12	55	21	53	1	0	0	448	37.3

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. Wisconsin	13	3086	2984	865	6070	7.0	78	466.9
2. Northwestern	12	2114	3079	906	5193	5.7	48	432.8
3. Michigan	12	2828	2249	792	5077	6.4	51	423.1
4. Nebraska	12	2687	1999	842	4686	5.6	42	390.5
5. Michigan State	13	1858	3217	860	5075	5.9	44	390.4
6. Iowa	12	1714	2836	784	4550	5.8	41	379.2
7. Purdue	12	2096	2361	849	4457	5.2	36	371.4
8. Indiana	12	1932	2393	870	4325	5.0	28	360.4
9. Illinois	12	2054	2244	836	4298	5.1	34	358.2
10. Penn State	12	1981	2164	820	4145	5.1	26	345.4
11. Ohio State	12	2348	1489	748	3837	5.1	36	319.8
12. Minnesota	12	1920	1804	744	3724	5.0	24	310.3

TOTAL DEFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. Michigan State	13	1356	2189	832	3545	4.3	29	272.7
2. Illinois	12	1592	1909	783	3501	4.5	28	291.8
3. Wisconsin	13	1794	2015	786	3809	4.8	26	293.0
4. Penn State	12	1665	1946	823	3611	4.4	22	300.9
5. Michigan	12	1549	2262	727	3811	5.2	25	317.6
6. Ohio State	12	1709	2234	777	3943	5.1	30	328.6
7. Nebraska	12	1939	2269	819	4208	5.1	35	350.7
8. Iowa	12	1914	2737	900	4651	5.2	33	387.6
9. Purdue	12	2228	2434	851	4662	5.5	38	388.5
10. Minnesota	12	2237	2600	812	4837	6.0	46	403.1
11. Northwestern	12	2225	2666	802	4891	6.1	40	407.6
12. Indiana	12	2924	2580	854	5504	6.4	51	458.7

RUSHING OFFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. Wisconsin	13	563	3086	5.5	54	46	237.4
2. Michigan	12	530	2828	5.3	65	31	235.7
3. Nebraska	12	565	2687	4.8	82	30	223.9
4. Ohio State	12	526	2348	4.5	81	20	195.7
5. Northwestern	12	539	2114	3.9	46	23	176.2
6. Purdue	12	479	2096	4.4	50	21	174.7
7. Illinois	12	507	2054	4.1	84	21	171.2
8. Penn State	12	471	1981	4.2	42	17	165.1
9. Indiana	12	492	1932	3.9	67	18	161.0
10. Minnesota	12	470	1920	4.1	37	14	160.0
11. Michigan State	13	460	1858	4.0	35	19	142.9
12. Iowa	12	417	1714	4.1	50	18	142.8

RUSHING DEFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. Michigan State	13	463	1356	2.9	39	11	104.3
2. Michigan	12	381	1549	4.1	41	13	129.1
3. Illinois	12	484	1592	3.3	65	15	132.7
4. Wisconsin	13	458	1794	3.9	84	14	138.0
5. Penn State	12	465	1665	3.6	46	13	138.8
6. Ohio State	12	441	1709	3.9	54	13	142.4
7. Iowa	12	512	1914	3.7	37	13	159.5
8. Nebraska	12	475	1939	4.1	63	21	161.6
9. Northwestern	12	486	2225	4.6	76	25	185.4
10. Purdue	12	508	2228	4.4	59	24	185.7
11. Minnesota	12	459	2237	4.9	82	23	186.4
12. Indiana	12	552	2924	5.3	81	25	243.7

PASS OFFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. Northwestern	12	262-367-9	71.4	3079	8.4	25	256.6
2. Michigan State	13	260-400-7	65.0	3217	8.0	25	247.5
3. Iowa	12	217-367-6	59.1	2836	7.7	23	236.3
4. Wisconsin	13	214-302-4	70.9	2984	9.9	32	229.5
5. Indiana	12	211-378-11	55.8	2393	6.3	10	199.4
6. Purdue	12	218-370-11	58.9	2361	6.4	15	196.8
7. Michigan	12	145-262-15	55.3	2249	8.6	20	187.4
8. Illinois	12	207-329-12	62.9	2244	6.8	13	187.0
9. Penn State	12	174-349-9	49.9	2164	6.2	9	180.3
10. Nebraska	12	154-277-7	55.6	1999	7.2	12	166.6
11. Minnesota	12	134-274-10	48.9	1804	6.6	10	150.3
12. Ohio State	12	107-222-5	48.2	1489	6.7	16	124.1

PASS DEFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. Wisconsin	13	196-328-15	59.8	2015	6.1	12	155.0
2. Illinois	12	166-299-9	55.5	1909	6.4	13	159.1
3. Penn State	12	193-358-14	53.9	1946	5.4	9	162.2
4. Michigan State	13	196-369-16	53.1	2189	5.9	18	168.4
5. Ohio State	12	202-336-12	60.1	2234	6.6	17	186.2
6. Michigan	12	202-346-8	58.4	2262	6.5	12	188.5
7. Nebraska	12	181-344-10	52.6	2269	6.6	14	189.1
8. Purdue	12	201-343-8	58.6	2434	7.1	14	202.8
9. Indiana	12	181-302-5	59.9	2580	8.5	26	215.0
10. Minnesota	12	239-353-4	67.7	2600	7.4	23	216.7
11. Northwestern	12	189-316-11	59.8	2666	8.4	15	222.2
12. Iowa	12	240-388-9	61.9	2737	7.1	20	228.1

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PASS EFFICIENCY	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. Wisconsin	13	214-302-4	70.9	2984	229.5	32	186.2
2. Northwestern	12	262-367-9	71.4	3079	256.6	25	159.4
3. Michigan State	13	260-400-7	65.0	3217	247.5	25	149.7
4. Iowa	12	217-367-6	59.1	2836	236.3	23	141.5
5. Michigan	12	145-262-15	55.3	2249	187.4	20	141.2
6. Illinois	12	207-329-12	62.9	2244	187.0	13	126.0
7. Nebraska	12	154-277-7	55.6	1999	166.6	12	125.5
8. Ohio State	12	107-222-5	48.2	1489	124.1	16	123.8
9. Purdue	12	218-370-11	58.9	2361	196.8	15	120.0
10. Indiana	12	211-378-11	55.8	2393	199.4	10	111.9
11. Minnesota	12	134-274-10	48.9	1804	150.3	10	109.0
12. Penn State	12	174-349-9	49.9	2164	180.3	9	105.3

PASS DEFENSE EFFIC.	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. Penn State	12	193-358-14	53.9	1946	162.2	9	100.0
2. Michigan State	13	196-369-16	53.1	2189	168.4	18	110.4
3. Wisconsin	13	196-328-15	59.8	2015	155.0	12	114.3
4. Nebraska	12	181-344-10	52.6	2269	189.1	14	115.6
5. Illinois	12	166-299-9	55.5	1909	159.1	13	117.5
6. Michigan	12	202-346-8	58.4	2262	188.5	12	120.1
7. Ohio State	12	202-336-12	60.1	2234	186.2	17	125.5
8. Purdue	12	201-343-8	58.6	2434	202.8	14	127.0
9. Iowa	12	240-388-9	61.9	2737	228.1	20	133.5
10. Northwestern	12	189-316-11	59.8	2666	222.2	15	139.4
11. Minnesota	12	239-353-4	67.7	2600	216.7	23	148.8
12. Indiana	12	181-302-5	59.9	2580	215.0	26	156.8

KICKOFF RETURNS	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.
1. Purdue	12	41	1126	0	81	27.5
2. Nebraska	12	42	1088	1	100	25.9
3. Ohio State	12	38	971	0	90	25.6
4. Michigan State	13	42	1021	0	67	24.3
5. Minnesota	12	55	1289	2	96	23.4
6. Penn State	12	37	864	1	95	23.4
7. Iowa	12	41	917	0	62	22.4
8. Northwestern	12	41	892	0	63	21.8
9. Wisconsin	13	41	871	0	44	21.2
10. Michigan	12	30	592	0	33	19.7
11. Indiana	12	70	1345	1	99	19.2
12. Illinois	12	32	512	0	29	16.0

PUNT RETURN AVG	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.
1. Wisconsin	13	20	306	1	60	15.3
2. Northwestern	12	6	77	0	28	12.8
3. Michigan State	13	29	324	2	57	11.2
4. Ohio State	12	21	214	1	69	10.2
5. Michigan	12	22	198	0	32	9.0
6. Nebraska	12	17	140	0	28	8.2
7. Minnesota	12	7	54	1	15	7.7
8. Iowa	12	13	93	0	30	7.2
9. Penn State	12	38	265	0	33	7.0
10. Purdue	12	23	136	0	31	5.9
11. Indiana	12	8	46	0	24	5.8
12. Illinois	12	20	39	0	11	2.0

INTERCEPTIONS	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.
1. Michigan State	13	16	308	3	86	19.2
2. Wisconsin	13	15	82	0	29	5.5
3. Penn State	12	14	218	0	63	15.6
4. Ohio State	12	12	128	0	36	10.7
5. Northwestern	12	11	79	0	33	7.2
6. Nebraska	12	10	85	0	50	8.5
7. Iowa	12	9	260	2	98	28.9
8. Illinois	12	9	42	1	27	4.7
9. Michigan	12	8	156	1	94	19.5
10. Purdue	12	8	93	1	55	11.6
11. Indiana	12	5	51	1	31	10.2
12. Minnesota	12	4	19	0	19	4.8

PUNTING	G	No.	Yards	Avg/P	Ret.	Avg/R	TB	Net/P
1. Nebraska	12	54	2429	45.0	290	5.4	3	38.5
2. Iowa	12	47	1916	40.8	61	1.3	3	38.2
3. Purdue	12	65	2620	40.3	124	1.9	1	38.1
4. Ohio State	12	66	2653	40.2	126	1.9	2	37.7
5. Wisconsin	13	46	1854	40.3	134	2.9	3	36.1
6. Penn State	12	63	2611	41.4	122	1.9	12	35.7
7. Indiana	12	71	2723	38.4	166	2.3	2	35.5
8. Michigan State	13	57	2250	39.5	119	2.1	6	35.3
9. Northwestern	12	44	1782	40.5	60	1.4	9	35.0
10. Illinois	12	67	2548	38.0	158	2.4	3	34.8
11. Minnesota	12	59	2158	36.6	38	0.6	5	34.2
12. Michigan	12	41	1569	38.3	169	4.1	1	33.7

KICKOFF COVERAGE	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Ret.	TB	NetAvg
1. Ohio State	12	62	3930	63.4	842	14	45.3
2. Minnesota	12	50	3202	64.0	798	8	44.9
3. Nebraska	12	73	4908	67.2	1273	19	44.6
4. Penn State	12	52	3395	65.3	894	11	43.9
5. Michigan	12	75	4798	64.0	1131	19	43.8
6. Purdue	12	66	4319	65.4	995	23	43.4
7. Michigan State	13	78	5083	65.2	1398	17	42.9
8. Northwestern	12	63	3840	61.0	1035	6	42.6
9. Indiana	12	54	3352	62.1	904	8	42.4
10. Iowa	12	65	4038	62.1	1212	4	42.2
11. Illinois	12	54	3350	62.0	828	14	41.5
12. Wisconsin	13	99	6088	61.5	1700	15	41.3

FIELD GOALS	G	Made	Att	Pct.
1. Illinois	12	8	9	.889
2. Nebraska	12	19	22	.864
3. Ohio State	12	15	18	.833
4. Indiana	12	13	16	.812
5. Minnesota	12	12	15	.800
6. Purdue	12	16	21	.762
7. Michigan State	13	16	22	.727
8. Michigan	12	10	14	.714
9. Iowa	12	14	20	.700
Wisconsin	13	7	10	.700
11. Penn State	12	16	24	.667
12. Northwestern	12	6	10	.600

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	PAT KICKING	G	Made	Att	Pct.
1.	Northwestern	12	48	48	1.000
	Michigan State	13	47	47	1.000
	Nebraska	12	43	43	1.000
	Iowa	12	42	42	1.000
	Illinois	12	32	32	1.000
	Indiana	12	30	30	1.000
7.	Michigan	12	52	53	.981
8.	Wisconsin	13	75	77	.974
9.	Purdue	12	35	36	.972
10.	Ohio State	12	34	35	.971
11.	Penn State	12	25	26	.962
12.	Minnesota	12	23	25	.920

	SACKS BY	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1.	Michigan State	13	41	279	3.15
2.	Illinois	12	36	213	3.00
3.	Penn State	12	29	199	2.42
4.	Michigan	12	28	176	2.33
5.	Ohio State	12	23	144	1.92
	Wisconsin	13	23	131	1.77
7.	Purdue	12	21	139	1.75
8.	Iowa	12	20	127	1.67
9.	Minnesota	12	19	116	1.58
10.	Indiana	12	18	130	1.50
11.	Nebraska	12	17	105	1.42
12.	Northwestern	12	16	102	1.33

	SACKS AGAINST	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1.	Penn State	12	12	90	1.00
2.	Nebraska	12	15	58	1.25
	Michigan	12	15	135	1.25
	Michigan State	13	15	96	1.15
5.	Minnesota	12	22	95	1.83
6.	Wisconsin	13	23	159	1.77
7.	Iowa	12	26	187	2.17
8.	Purdue	12	27	121	2.25
9.	Indiana	12	31	190	2.58
10.	Illinois	12	35	246	2.92
	Northwestern	12	35	213	2.92
12.	Ohio State	12	40	217	3.33

	FIRST DOWNS	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1.	Wisconsin	13	155	132	16	303	23.3
2.	Northwestern	12	129	136	16	281	23.4
3.	Michigan	12	145	90	23	258	21.5
4.	Michigan State	13	97	146	14	257	19.8
5.	Nebraska	12	135	93	20	248	20.7
6.	Iowa	12	99	124	22	245	20.4
7.	Purdue	12	113	116	15	244	20.3
8.	Indiana	12	107	115	19	241	20.1
9.	Illinois	12	113	102	19	234	19.5
10.	Penn State	12	106	104	14	224	18.7
11.	Ohio State	12	118	68	16	202	16.8
12.	Minnesota	12	104	81	10	195	16.2

	OPPONENT 1ST DOWNS	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1.	Illinois	12	87	90	14	191	15.9
2.	Wisconsin	13	89	98	13	200	15.4
3.	Michigan	12	82	106	14	202	16.8
4.	Ohio State	12	86	104	14	204	17.0
5.	Penn State	12	85	107	13	205	17.1
6.	Michigan State	13	74	106	31	211	16.2
7.	Nebraska	12	113	93	23	229	19.1
8.	Northwestern	12	122	111	11	244	20.3
9.	Purdue	12	118	115	22	255	21.2
10.	Iowa	12	113	135	14	262	21.8
11.	Indiana	12	152	102	11	265	22.1
12.	Minnesota	12	126	122	19	267	22.2

	3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1.	Wisconsin	13	85	157	54.1
2.	Northwestern	12	84	171	49.1
3.	Michigan	12	75	155	48.4
4.	Nebraska	12	79	181	43.6
5.	Illinois	12	75	176	42.6
6.	Purdue	12	75	180	41.7
7.	Indiana	12	80	196	40.8
8.	Iowa	12	60	149	40.3
9.	Ohio State	12	65	163	39.9
10.	Michigan State	13	72	182	39.6
11.	Minnesota	12	61	160	38.1
12.	Penn State	12	64	174	36.8

	OPP 3RD-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1.	Michigan State	13	61	181	33.7
2.	Illinois	12	59	171	34.5
3.	Michigan	12	57	158	36.1
4.	Wisconsin	13	67	178	37.6
5.	Penn State	12	73	189	38.6
6.	Ohio State	12	68	172	39.5
7.	Purdue	12	70	173	40.5
8.	Nebraska	12	74	181	40.9
9.	Minnesota	12	70	158	44.3
10.	Iowa	12	91	195	46.7
11.	Indiana	12	81	164	49.4
12.	Northwestern	12	83	166	50.0

	4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1.	Wisconsin	13	7	9	77.8
2.	Penn State	12	10	17	58.8
3.	Northwestern	12	15	26	57.7
4.	Michigan	12	9	16	56.2
5.	Michigan State	13	10	18	55.6
6.	Minnesota	12	12	22	54.5
7.	Nebraska	12	8	15	53.3
8.	Iowa	12	9	17	52.9
9.	Indiana	12	11	21	52.4
10.	Ohio State	12	6	12	50.0
11.	Illinois	12	8	18	44.4
	Purdue	12	4	9	44.4

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OPP 4TH-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Michigan	12	7	18	38.9
2. Penn State	12	7	16	43.8
3. Ohio State	12	8	18	44.4
4. Michigan State	13	9	19	47.4
5. Wisconsin	13	11	22	50.0
6. Nebraska	12	10	19	52.6
7. Illinois	12	9	16	56.2
8. Purdue	12	10	16	62.5
9. Minnesota	12	14	22	63.6
10. Northwestern	12	9	14	64.3
11. Indiana	12	6	9	66.7
12. Iowa	12	13	18	72.2

PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. Northwestern	12	48	425	35.4
2. Iowa	12	56	427	35.6
3. Michigan	12	49	432	36.0
4. Wisconsin	13	64	525	40.4
5. Illinois	12	58	498	41.5
6. Penn State	12	59	510	42.5
7. Ohio State	12	66	547	45.6
8. Minnesota	12	68	593	49.4
9. Nebraska	12	76	630	52.5
10. Michigan State	13	87	725	55.8
11. Purdue	12	87	728	60.7
12. Indiana	12	83	776	64.7

OPPONENT PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. Michigan	12	85	734	61.2
2. Nebraska	12	71	691	57.6
3. Iowa	12	77	656	54.7
4. Indiana	12	71	627	52.2
5. Michigan State	13	80	673	51.8
6. Purdue	12	68	612	51.0
7. Ohio State	12	70	583	48.6
8. Wisconsin	13	70	604	46.5
9. Northwestern	12	62	533	44.4
10. Illinois	12	56	486	40.5
11. Penn State	12	56	446	37.2
12. Minnesota	12	54	445	37.1

TIME OF POSSESSION	G	Total possesion	Avgerage/game
1. Wisconsin	13	415:29	31:57
2. Michigan	12	383:07	31:55
3. Michigan State	13	409:00	31:27
4. Illinois	12	369:45	30:48
5. Northwestern	12	368:51	30:44
6. Ohio State	12	366:26	30:32
7. Penn State	12	358:47	29:53
8. Minnesota	12	349:48	29:09
9. Purdue	12	344:54	28:44
10. Nebraska	12	339:36	28:18
11. Iowa	12	337:58	28:09
12. Indiana	12	337:10	28:05

		Gained			Lost				
TURNOVER MARGIN		Fum	Int	Tot	Fum	Int	Tot	Margin	Per/G
1. Wisconsin	13	9	15	24	4	4	8	+16	1.23
2. Michigan State	13	6	16	22	8	7	15	+7	0.54
3. Michigan	12	19	8	27	6	15	21	+6	0.50
4. Ohio State	12	5	12	17	8	5	13	+4	0.33
Penn State	12	12	14	26	13	9	22	+4	0.33
6. Northwestern	12	8	11	19	8	9	17	+2	0.17
Iowa	12	9	9	18	10	6	16	+2	0.17
8. Nebraska	12	8	10	18	10	7	17	+1	0.08
9. Indiana	12	11	5	16	7	11	18	-2	-0.17
Purdue	12	6	8	14	5	11	16	-2	-0.17
11. Illinois	12	11	9	20	15	12	27	-7	-0.58
12. Minnesota	12	5	4	9	7	10	17	-8	-0.67

RED ZONE OFFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Wisconsin	13	67-70	95.7	61	38-23	6-7	1
2. Nebraska	12	44-49	89.8	32	25-7	12-12	1
3. Ohio State	12	32-36	88.9	23	15-8	9-9	1
4. Purdue	12	40-47	85.1	30	18-12	10-11	4
5. Illinois	12	34-40	85.0	27	20-7	7-7	2
6. Iowa	12	39-46	84.8	29	18-11	10-13	3
7. Michigan	12	46-55	83.6	36	24-12	10-11	3
8. Minnesota	12	30-36	83.3	22	13-9	8-8	3
9. Michigan State	13	42-51	82.4	31	16-15	11-13	2
10. Northwestern	12	44-58	75.9	40	23-17	4-6	3
11. Indiana	12	28-37	75.7	18	15-3	10-11	3
12. Penn State	12	31-41	75.6	20	16-4	11-13	4

RED ZONE DEFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Michigan	12	24-35	68.6	20	13-7	4-4	6
2. Iowa	12	38-52	73.1	28	12-16	10-12	7
3. Michigan State	13	27-35	77.1	21	9-12	6-8	3
4. Illinois	12	28-36	77.8	22	13-9	6-8	2
5. Minnesota	12	43-53	81.1	37	20-17	6-9	1
6. Ohio State	12	26-32	81.2	20	11-9	6-7	1
7. Wisconsin	13	23-28	82.1	16	11-5	7-8	2
8. Nebraska	12	29-35	82.9	24	19-5	5-7	1
9. Northwestern	12	38-45	84.4	29	24-5	9-11	4
10. Indiana	12	49-56	87.5	33	21-12	16-16	3
11. Purdue	12	37-42	88.1	27	19-8	10-12	1
12. Penn State	12	29-31	93.5	20	12-8	9-9	1

ON-SIDE KICKS BY	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. Minnesota	12	1	1	100.0
2. Indiana	12	1	2	50.0
3. Northwestern	12	0	2	0.0
Illinois	12	0	2	0.0
Iowa	12	0	1	0.0
Ohio State	12	0	1	0.0
Penn State	12	0	1	0.0
Nebraska	12	0	1	0.0
Wisconsin	13	0	0	0.0
Purdue	12	0	0	0.0
Michigan State	13	0	0	0.0
Michigan	12	0	0	0.0

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	RUSHING	Cl	G	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Lg	Avg/G
1.	Ball, Montee-WIS	Jr	13	275	1759	6.4	32	54	135.3
2.	Coker, Marcus-IOWA	So	12	281	1384	4.9	15	50	115.3
3.	Burkhead, Rex-NEB	Jr	12	260	1268	4.9	15	52	105.7
4.	Redd, Silas-PSU	So	12	230	1188	5.2	7	42	99.0
5.	Robinson, D.-MICH	Jr	12	208	1163	5.6	16	53	96.9
6.	Toussaint, F.-MICH	So	11	174	1011	5.8	9	65	91.9
7.	Gray, MarQueis-MINN	Jr	11	199	966	4.9	6	37	87.8
8.	Martinez, T.-NEB	So	12	173	837	4.8	9	57	69.8
9.	Bell, Le'Veon-MSU	So	13	165	900	5.5	11	35	69.2
10.	Houston, S.-IND	So	12	151	802	5.3	8	67	66.8

	PASSING AVG/GAME	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Avg/G
1.	Persa, Dan-NU	Sr	9	193-260-7	2163	17	240.3
2.	Vandenberg, J.-IOWA	Jr	12	214-360-6	2806	23	233.8
3.	Cousins, Kirk-MSU	Sr	13	240-369-7	3016	24	232.0
4.	Wilson, Russell-WIS	Sr	13	206-284-3	2879	31	221.5
5.	Robinson, D.-MICH	Jr	12	133-237-14	2056	18	171.3
6.	Martinez, T.-NEB	So	12	152-272-7	1973	12	164.4
7.	Scheelhaase, N-ILL	So	12	166-261-7	1971	12	164.2
8.	TerBush, Caleb-PUR	Jr	12	163-264-6	1804	12	150.3
9.	Gray, MarQueis-MINN	Jr	11	108-213-8	1495	8	135.9
10.	McGloin, Matt-PSU	Jr	12	125-231-5	1571	8	130.9

	PASS EFFICIENCY	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Eff.
1.	Wilson, Russell-WIS	Sr	13	206-284-3	2879	31	191.6
2.	Persa, Dan-NU	Sr	9	193-260-7	2163	17	160.3
3.	Cousins, Kirk-MSU	Sr	13	240-369-7	3016	24	151.4
4.	Vandenberg, J.-IOWA	Jr	12	214-360-6	2806	23	142.7
5.	Robinson, D.-MICH	Jr	12	133-237-14	2056	18	142.2
6.	Scheelhaase, N-ILL	So	12	166-261-7	1971	12	136.8
7.	Miller, Braxton-OSU	Fr	11	67-134-4	997	11	133.6
8.	TerBush, Caleb-PUR	Jr	12	163-264-6	1804	12	129.6
9.	Martinez, T.-NEB	So	12	152-272-7	1973	12	126.2
10.	McGloin, Matt-PSU	Jr	12	125-231-5	1571	8	118.3

	RECEPTIONS/GAME	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Yds/G	Rec/G
1.	Jenkins, A.J.-ILL	Sr	12	84	1196	7	77	99.7	7.0
2.	McNutt, Marvin-IOWA	Sr	12	78	1269	12	88	105.8	6.5
3.	Ebert, Jeremy-NU	Sr	12	71	1025	11	90	85.4	5.9
4.	Cunningham, B.-MSU	Sr	13	72	1240	12	69	95.4	5.5
5.	Martin, Keshawn-MSU	Sr	13	62	742	4	67	57.1	4.8
6.	Toon, Nick-WIS	Sr	12	55	822	9	59	68.5	4.6
7.	McKnight, DaJon-MINN	Sr	12	51	760	4	64	63.3	4.2
8.	Davis, Keenan-IOWA	Jr	11	45	637	4	47	57.9	4.1
9.	Moye, Derek-PSU	Sr	10	40	654	3	74	65.4	4.0
10.	Abbrederis, Jar-WIS	So	13	51	814	7	51	62.6	3.9

	RECEIVE YDS/GAME	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Avg/C	Yds/G
1.	McNutt, Marvin-IOWA	Sr	12	78	1269	12	88	16.3	105.8
2.	Jenkins, A.J.-ILL	Sr	12	84	1196	7	77	14.2	99.7
3.	Cunningham, B.-MSU	Sr	13	72	1240	12	69	17.2	95.4
4.	Ebert, Jeremy-NU	Sr	12	71	1025	11	90	14.4	85.4
5.	Toon, Nick-WIS	Sr	12	55	822	9	59	14.9	68.5
6.	Moye, Derek-PSU	Sr	10	40	654	3	74	16.4	65.4
7.	McKnight, DaJon-MINN	Sr	12	51	760	4	64	14.9	63.3
8.	Abbrederis, Jar-WIS	So	13	51	814	7	51	16.0	62.6
9.	Davis, Keenan-IOWA	Jr	11	45	637	4	47	14.2	57.9
10.	Martin, Keshawn-MSU	Sr	13	62	742	4	67	12.0	57.1

	TOTAL OFFENSE	Cl	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Total	Yds/G
1.	Robinson, D.-MICH	Jr	12	1163	2056	445	3219	268.2
2.	Persa, Dan-NU	Sr	9	71	2163	329	2234	248.2
3.	Wilson, Russell-WIS	Sr	13	320	2879	357	3199	246.1
4.	Vandenberg, J.-IOWA	Jr	12	61	2806	432	2867	238.9
5.	Martinez, T.-NEB	So	12	837	1973	445	2810	234.2
6.	Cousins, Kirk-MSU	Sr	13	-62	3016	402	2954	227.2
7.	Gray, MarQueis-MINN	Jr	11	966	1495	412	2461	223.7
8.	Scheelhaase, N-ILL	So	12	514	1971	430	2485	207.1
9.	TerBush, Caleb-PUR	Jr	12	226	1804	344	2030	169.2
10.	Miller, Braxton-OSU	Fr	11	695	997	278	1692	153.8

	SCORING	Cl	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	Pts	Pts/G
1.	Ball, Montee-WIS	Jr	13	38	0	0	2	230	17.7
2.	Burkhead, Rex-NEB	Jr	12	17	0	0	0	102	8.5
3.	Maher, Brett-NEB	Jr	12	0	19	42	0	99	8.2
4.	Robinson, D.-MICH	Jr	12	16	0	0	0	96	8.0
5.	Coker, Marcus-IOWA	So	12	15	0	0	0	90	7.5
6.	Conroy, Dan-MSU	Jr	13	0	15	47	0	92	7.1
7.	Meyer, Mike-IOWA	So	12	0	14	42	0	84	7.0
8.	Wiggs, Carson-PUR	Sr	12	0	16	35	0	83	6.9
9.	Gibbons, B.-MICH	So	12	0	10	52	0	82	6.8
10.	Basil, Drew-OSU	So	12	0	15	34	0	79	6.6

	SCORING (TDs)	Cl	G	TD	Run	Pass	Ret	Pat	Pts	Avg/G
1.	Ball, Montee-WIS	Jr	13	38	32	6	0	1	230	17.7
2.	Burkhead, Rex-NEB	Jr	12	17	15	2	0	0	102	8.5
3.	Robinson, D.-MICH	Jr	12	16	16	0	0	0	96	8.0
4.	Coker, Marcus-IOWA	So	12	15	15	0	0	0	90	7.5
5.	McNutt, Marvin-IOWA	Sr	12	12	0	12	0	0	72	6.0
6.	Cunningham, B.-MSU	Sr	13	12	0	12	0	1	74	5.7
7.	Colter, Kain-NU	So	12	11	8	3	0	0	66	5.5
	Ebert, Jeremy-NU	Sr	12	11	0	11	0	0	66	5.5
9.	Toussaint, F.-MICH	So	11	10	9	1	0	0	60	5.5
10.	Bell, Le'Veon-MSU	So	13	11	11	0	0	0	66	5.1

	SCORING (KICK)	Cl	G	PAT	FG	Pts	Avg/G
1.	Maher, Brett-NEB	Jr	12	42-42	19-22	99	8.2
2.	Conroy, Dan-MSU	Jr	13	47-47	15-21	92	7.1
3.	Meyer, Mike-IOWA	So	12	42-42	14-20	84	7.0
4.	Wiggs, Carson-PUR	Sr	12	35-36	16-21	83	6.9
5.	Gibbons, B.-MICH	So	12	52-53	10-14	82	6.8
6.	Basil, Drew-OSU	So	12	34-35	15-18	79	6.6
7.	Ewald, Mitch-IND	So	12	30-30	13-16	69	5.8
8.	Budzien, Jeff-NU	So	12	48-48	6-10	66	5.5
9.	Fera, Anthony-PSU	So	11	18-18	14-17	60	5.5
10.	Dimke, Derek-ILL	Sr	12	32-32	8-9	56	4.7

	PUNT RETURN AVG	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1.	Abbrederis, Jar-WIS	So	13	18	289	1	60	16.1
2.	Martin, Keshawn-MSU	Sr	13	23	271	1	57	11.8
3.	Gallon, Jeremy-MICH	So	12	19	192	0	32	10.1
4.	Brown, Justin-PSU	Jr	12	26	194	0	33	7.5
5.	Gravesande, W.-PUR	Sr	12	22	129	0	31	5.9
6.	Hall, Jordan-OSU	Jr	9	12	70	0	27	5.8
7.	Lankford, Ryan-ILL	So	12	19	33	0	11	1.7

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	KICK RETURN AVG	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1.	Mostert, Raheem-PUR	Fr	11	23	713	0	81	31.0
2.	Abdullah, Ameer-NEB	Fr	12	24	719	1	100	30.0
3.	Powell, Chaz-PSU	Sr	12	23	652	1	95	28.3
4.	Hall, Jordan-OSU	Jr	9	22	619	0	90	28.1
5.	Hill, Nick-MSU	Fr	13	36	938	0	67	26.1
6.	Abbrederis, Jar-WIS	So	13	20	488	0	44	24.4
7.	Bernstine, J.-IOWA	Sr	11	27	658	0	62	24.4
8.	Mark, Venric-NU	So	12	33	774	0	63	23.5
9.	Odoms, M.-MICH	Sr	11	16	352	0	33	22.0
10.	Wynn, Shane-IND	Fr	12	48	1015	1	99	21.1

	ALL PURPOSE	Cl	G	Rush	Rcv	PR	KR	Yds	Avg/G
1.	Ball, Montee-WIS	Jr	13	1759	255	0	0	2014	154.9
2.	Hall, Jordan-OSU	Jr	9	384	102	70	619	1175	130.6
3.	Coker, Marcus-IOWA	So	12	1384	157	0	0	1541	128.4
4.	Abbrederis, Jar-WIS	So	13	62	814	289	488	1653	127.2
5.	Burkhead, Rex-NEB	Jr	12	1268	142	19	0	1429	119.1
6.	McNutt, Marvin-IOWA	Sr	12	58	1269	0	14	1341	111.8
7.	Jenkins, A.J.-ILL	Sr	12	10	1196	0	79	1285	107.1
8.	Wynn, Shane-IND	Fr	12	37	197	0	101	1249	104.1
9.	Redd, Silas-PSU	So	12	1188	40	0	0	1228	102.3
10.	Cunningham, B.-MSU	Sr	13	26	1240	0	0	1266	97.4

	PUNTING	Cl	G	No.	Yds	Lg	I20	50+	TB	Avg.
1.	Maher, Brett-NEB	Jr	12	54	2429	69	24	20	3	45.0
2.	Webster, Cody-PUR	So	12	44	1904	66	11	13	0	43.3
3.	Nortman, Brad-WIS	Sr	13	44	1854	74	17	7	3	42.1
4.	Fera, Anthony-PSU	So	11	55	2311	69	17	10	11	42.0
5.	Buchanan, Ben-OSU	Sr	12	65	2653	60	24	6	2	40.8
6.	Guthrie, Eric-IOWA	Sr	12	47	1916	59	18	5	3	40.8
7.	Williams, B.-NU	So	12	44	1782	77	11	9	9	40.5
8.	Sadler, Mike-MSU	Fr	12	53	2108	55	21	3	5	39.8
9.	Pines, Adam-IND	Jr	12	71	2723	57	16	6	2	38.4
10.	DuVernois, J.-ILL	Fr	12	53	2029	66	17	3	3	38.3

	FIELD GOALS	Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.	FG/G
1.	Maher, Brett-NEB	Jr	12	19	22	51	86.4	1.58
2.	Wiggs, Carson-PUR	Sr	12	16	21	53	76.2	1.33
3.	Fera, Anthony-PSU	So	11	14	17	46	82.4	1.27
4.	Basil, Drew-OSU	So	12	15	18	47	83.3	1.25
5.	Meyer, Mike-IOWA	So	12	14	20	50	70.0	1.17
6.	Conroy, Dan-MSU	Jr	13	15	21	50	71.4	1.15
7.	Ewald, Mitch-IND	So	12	13	16	49	81.2	1.08
8.	Gibbons, B.-MICH	So	12	10	14	43	71.4	0.83
9.	Dimke, Derek-ILL	Sr	12	8	9	49	88.9	0.67
10.	Budzien, Jeff-NU	So	12	6	10	47	60.0	0.50

	FIELD GOAL PCT	Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.
1.	Maher, Brett-NEB	Jr	12	19	22	51	86.4
2.	Basil, Drew-OSU	So	12	15	18	47	83.3
3.	Fera, Anthony-PSU	So	11	14	17	46	82.4
4.	Ewald, Mitch-IND	So	12	13	16	49	81.2
5.	Wiggs, Carson-PUR	Sr	12	16	21	53	76.2
6.	Conroy, Dan-MSU	Jr	13	15	21	50	71.4
	Gibbons, B.-MICH	So	12	10	14	43	71.4
8.	Meyer, Mike-IOWA	So	12	14	20	50	70.0

	PAT KICKING PCT	Cl	G	Made	Att.	Pct.
1.	Budzien, Jeff-NU	So	12	48	48	100.0
	Conroy, Dan-MSU	Jr	13	47	47	100.0
	Maher, Brett-NEB	Jr	12	42	42	100.0
	Meyer, Mike-IOWA	So	12	42	42	100.0
	Dimke, Derek-ILL	Sr	12	32	32	100.0
	Ewald, Mitch-IND	So	12	30	30	100.0
	Fera, Anthony-PSU	So	11	18	18	100.0
8.	Gibbons, B.-MICH	So	12	52	53	98.1
9.	Wiggs, Carson-PUR	Sr	12	35	36	97.2
10.	Basil, Drew-OSU	So	12	34	35	97.1

B.J. Cunningham ranks among the Big Ten leaders in touchdown receptions (tied for first with 12), receiving yards (third with 95.4 yards per game), receptions (fourth with 5.5 catches per game) and all-purpose yards (10th with 97.4 ypg.).

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	TACKLES (All positions)	Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Total	Avg/G
1.	Taylor, Mike-WIS	Jr	13	LB	53	84	137	10.5
2.	Royston, Kim-MINN	Sr	12	DB	71	52	123	10.2
3.	David, Lavonte-NEB	Sr	12	LB	57	65	122	10.2
4.	Borland, Chris-WIS	So	13		56	75	131	10.1
5.	Morris, James-IOWA	So	11	LB	50	55	105	9.5
6.	Brown, J.-ILL	So	11	LB	43	59	102	9.3
7.	Kirksey, C.-IOWA	So	12	LB	56	47	103	8.6
8.	Hodges, Gerald-PSU	Jr	12		55	42	97	8.1
9.	Beckford, D.-PUR	Jr	12	LB	46	45	91	7.6
10.	Bernstine, J.-IOWA	Sr	11	DB	40	43	83	7.5
11.	Campbell, I.-NU	Fr	12	DB	51	38	89	7.4
12.	Thomas, Jeff-IND	Sr	11	LB	41	39	80	7.3
13.	Tinsley, Gary-MINN	Sr	12	LB	43	44	87	7.2
14.	Demens, Kenny-MICH	Jr	12	LB	45	41	86	7.2
15.	Peters, Brian-NU	Sr	12		44	41	85	7.1
	Holland, Joe-PUR	Sr	12	LB	47	38	85	7.1
17.	Rallis, Mike-MINN	Jr	12	LB	53	30	83	6.9
18.	Nardo, Thomas-IOWA	Sr	9	DL	19	43	62	6.9
19.	Sweat, Andrew-OSU	Sr	10	LB	34	34	68	6.8
20.	Bullough, Max-MSU	So	13	LB	33	53	86	6.6
21.	Nwabuisi, David-NU	Jr	12	LB	38	41	79	6.6
22.	Thomas, Ian-ILL	Sr	12	LB	30	48	78	6.5
23.	Norman, Chris-MSU	Jr	11	LB	36	35	71	6.5
24.	Astorino, Drew-PSU	Sr	12		49	28	77	6.4
	Cooper, Keanon-MINN	Jr	12	LB	34	43	77	6.4
	Compton, Will-NEB	Jr	12	LB	35	42	77	6.4
27.	Murphy, Mark-IND	Fr	12		44	32	76	6.3
28.	Lucas, Will-PUR	So	12	LB	44	31	75	6.2
	Stafford, D.-NEB	Jr	12	DB	41	34	75	6.2
30.	McNaul, Bryce-NU	Sr	11	LB	30	38	68	6.2
31.	Carson, Glenn-PSU	Fr	12		28	46	74	6.2
	Wilson, Tavon-ILL	Sr	12	DB	45	29	74	6.2
33.	Allen, Denicos-MSU	So	13	LB	41	37	78	6.0
34.	Miller, Tanner-IOWA	So	12	DB	48	23	71	5.9
	Allen, Ricardo-PUR	So	12	CB	54	17	71	5.9
36.	Nielsen, Tyler-IOWA	Sr	11	LB	30	35	65	5.9
37.	Kovacs, Jordan-MICH	Jr	11	SAF	45	19	64	5.8
38.	Barnett, C.J.-OSU	Jr	12	DB	45	24	69	5.8
	Evans, Albert-PUR	Sr	12		49	20	69	5.8
40.	Bryant, C-OSU	So	11	DB	36	27	63	5.7
41.	Robinson, T.-MSU	Sr	13		43	31	74	5.7
42.	Cassidy, Austin-NEB	Sr	12	DB	29	39	68	5.7
	Stupar, Nate-PSU	Sr	12		32	36	68	5.7
	Hyde, Micah-IOWA	Jr	12	DB	47	21	68	5.7
45.	Spence, Akeem-ILL	So	12	DL	18	49	67	5.6
	Vereen, Brock-MINN	So	12	DB	46	21	67	5.6
47.	Lewis, Isaiah-MSU	So	13		33	38	71	5.5
48.	Henderson, Kyle-MINN	Sr	12	DB	42	23	65	5.4
49.	Hankins, J-OSU	So	12	DL	29	35	64	5.3
50.	Hull, Steve-ILL	So	11	DB	38	20	58	5.3

	SACKS	Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Total
1.	Mercilus, W.-ILL	Jr	12	DL	13	3	14.5
2.	Allen, Denicos-MSU	So	13	LB	9	2	10.0
3.	Simon, John-OSU	Jr	12	DL	7	0	7.0
4.	Crawford, Jack-PSU	Sr	12		5	3	6.5
	Buchanan, M.-ILL	Jr	12	DL	5	3	6.5
	Short, Kawann-PUR	Jr	12	DT	6	1	6.5
7.	Daniels, Mike-IOWA	Sr	12	DL	5	2	6.0
8.	Brown, J.-ILL	So	11	LB	4	4	6.0
9.	Binns, B.-IOWA	Sr	12	DL	4	2	5.0
	Meredith, C.-NEB	Jr	12	DE	5	0	5.0
	Van Bergen, R.-MICH	Sr	12	DL	4	2	5.0
12.	Still, Devon-PSU	Sr	12		4	1	4.5
	Hodges, Gerald-PSU	Jr	12		4	1	4.5
	Stanley, Sean-PSU	Jr	12		4	1	4.5
15.	Kovacs, Jordan-MICH	Jr	11	SAF	4	0	4.0
16.	Pickelman, K.-MSU	Sr	13	DL	4	0	4.0
17.	Roh, Craig-MICH	Jr	12	DL	3	2	4.0
	Replogle, Adam-IND	Jr	12	DL	4	0	4.0
	Tinsley, Gary-MINN	Sr	12	LB	4	0	4.0
20.	Rush, Marcus-MSU	Fr	13	DE	4	0	4.0

	TACKLES FOR LOSS	Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Total
1.	Mercilus, W.-ILL	Jr	12	DL	16	7	19.5
2.	Brown, J.-ILL	So	11	LB	14	10	19.0
3.	Borland, Chris-WIS	So	13		12	12	18.0
4.	Allen, Denicos-MSU	So	13	LB	14	6	17.0
5.	Short, Kawann-PUR	Jr	12	DT	13	8	17.0
	Still, Devon-PSU	Sr	12		15	4	17.0
7.	Simon, John-OSU	Jr	12	DL	14	2	15.0
8.	Buchanan, M.-ILL	Jr	12	DL	8	9	12.5
9.	Binns, B.-IOWA	Sr	12	DL	10	4	12.0
	Van Bergen, R.-MICH	Sr	12	DL	10	4	12.0
11.	Gholston, W.-MSU	So	12	DE	8	6	11.0
	Hankins, J-OSU	So	12	DL	8	6	11.0
13.	Thomas, Jeff-IND	Sr	11	LB	9	3	10.5
14.	David, Lavonte-NEB	Sr	12	LB	9	2	10.0
15.	Rush, Marcus-MSU	Fr	13	DE	9	2	10.0
16.	Hodges, Gerald-PSU	Jr	12		9	2	10.0
17.	Daniels, Mike-IOWA	Sr	12	DL	8	3	9.5
18.	Tinsley, Gary-MINN	Sr	12	LB	8	2	9.0
19.	Worthy, Jerel-MSU	Jr	13	DT	7	3	8.5
20.	Lucas, Will-PUR	So	12	LB	4	9	8.5

Denicos Allen ranks second in the Big Ten in sacks with 10, fourth in tackles for loss with 17.5, and 33rd in tackles with 6.0 per game.

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	PASSES DEFENDED	Cl	G	BrUp	Int.	Total	Avg/G
1.	Sukay, Nick-PSU	Sr	12	7	3	10	0.83
	Hyde, Micah-IOWA	Jr	12	7	3	10	0.83
	Floyd, J.T.-MICH	Jr	12	8	2	10	0.83
	Johnson, Josh-PUR	Jr	12	8	2	10	0.83
5.	Hawthorne, T.-ILL	Jr	12	7	2	9	0.75
	Stafford, D.-NEB	Jr	12	9	0	9	0.75
7.	Bryant, C-OSU	So	11	8	0	8	0.73
	Gilleylen, C.-NEB	Sr	11	7	1	8	0.73
9.	Howard, Travis-OSU	Sr	10	5	2	7	0.70
10.	Adams, Johnny-MSU	Jr	13	6	3	9	0.69
	Fenelus, Antoni-WIS	Sr	13	5	4	9	0.69
12.	Heban, Greg-IND	So	12	6	2	8	0.67
	Binns, B.-IOWA	Sr	12	8	0	8	0.67
	Johnson, Shelto-WIS	Jr	12	4	4	8	0.67
	Roby, Bradley-OSU	So	12	5	3	8	0.67
	Dennard, A.-NEB	Sr	9	6	0	6	0.67
	Vereen, Brock-MINN	So	12	7	1	8	0.67
	Barnett, C.J.-OSU	Jr	12	6	2	8	0.67
	Peters, Brian-NU	Sr	12	4	4	8	0.67
20.	Lynn, D'Anton-PSU	Sr	11	6	1	7	0.64

	INTERCEPTIONS	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1.	Peters, Brian-NU	Sr	12	4	26	0	24	0.33
	Johnson, Shelto-WIS	Jr	12	4	0	0	0	0.33
3.	Lewis, Isaiah-MSU	So	13	4	89	2	39	0.31
	Robinson, T.-MSU	Sr	13	4	40	0	34	0.31
	Fenelus, Antoni-WIS	Sr	13	4	10	0	10	0.31
6.	Miller, Tanner-IOWA	So	12	3	114	1	98	0.25
	Roby, Bradley-OSU	So	12	3	57	0	36	0.25
	Allen, Ricardo-PUR	So	12	3	37	1	37	0.25
	Johnson, Orhian-OSU	Sr	12	3	22	0	15	0.25
	Sukay, Nick-PSU	Sr	12	3	18	0	14	0.25

	FUMBLES FORCED	Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Mercilus, W.-ILL	Jr	12	9	0.75
2.	Prater, Shaun-IOWA	Sr	12	4	0.33
3.	Borland, Chris-WIS	So	13	4	0.31
4.	Stanley, Sean-PSU	Jr	12	3	0.25
5.	Howard, Travis-OSU	Sr	10	2	0.20
6.	Kovacs, Jordan-MICH	Jr	11	2	0.18
7.	Gordon, Thomas-MICH	So	12	2	0.17
	David, Lavonte-NEB	Sr	12	2	0.17
	Lucas, Will-PUR	So	12	2	0.17
	Hodges, Gerald-PSU	Jr	12	2	0.17

	FUMBLES RECOVERED	Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Gordon, Thomas-MICH	So	12	4	0.33
2.	Scott, Tyler-NU	So	10	3	0.30
3.	Hill, Jordan-PSU	Jr	12	3	0.25
	Van Bergen, R.-MICH	Sr	12	3	0.25
5.	Brown, J.-ILL	So	11	2	0.18
	Nielsen, Tyler-IOWA	Sr	11	2	0.18
	Johnson, Darius-IND	Sr	11	2	0.18
8.	Wilson, Tavon-ILL	Sr	12	2	0.17
	Ryan, Jake-MICH	Fr	12	2	0.17
	Langford, J.-MSU	Fr	12	2	0.17

Johnny Adams leads Michigan State with nine passes defended (three interceptions, six pass break-ups) and ranks first in the Big Ten with 141 interception return yards. He returned an interception 86 yards for a touchdown in the win over Indiana, marking the fourth-longest interception return in school history.

Isaiah Lewis is lifted up by his teammates after Lewis returned an interception 39 yards for a touchdown in the fourth quarter against Michigan.

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SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Youngstown State (0-1)	0	6	0	0	-	6
Michigan State (1-0)	0	14	7	7	-	28

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) - In his first game as Michigan State's captain, Joel Foreman gave up his starting spot so a teammate could take the field for one heartwarming play.

Foreman allowed Arthur Ray Jr. to take his place on the offensive line for the beginning of the Spartans' 28-6 win over Youngstown State. Four years ago, Ray was treated for cancer in his left leg. He underwent chemotherapy shortly after signing with the Spartans in 2007, and a subsequent infection postponed his comeback until now.

"Words can't describe it," Foreman said. "He's not only an inspiration to me, but to the entire team. It's not something I did, it's all Arthur."

Ray's surprising start set the tone, and B.J. Cunningham caught nine passes for 130 yards and a touchdown for No. 17 Michigan State. Cunningham moved into a tie for first on the school's career receptions list, and his 18-yard scoring reception from Kirk Cousins in the third quarter gave the Spartans a 21-6 lead.

Cousins threw for 222 yards for Michigan State, which tied for the Big Ten title last season. Le'Veon Bell scored twice on 3-yard runs.

Cunningham has 148 receptions, equaling Matt Trannon's mark.

"When I'd get to the sideline, people would tell me how many I had," Cunningham said. "A lot of great receivers have come through here. It's a blessing to be a part of that group."

Cousins completed 18-of-22 passes, and Edwin Baker ran for 91 yards for Michigan State.

After Dan Conroy missed a 27-yard field goal in the fourth quarter, the Spartans got the ball back quickly on an interception by Isaiah Lewis, which set up Bell's second touchdown.

Coach Mark Dantonio indicated earlier this week that Ray wasn't able to practice much because of the stress on his leg, but he was in at left guard for Michigan State's first offensive play of the season. The Spartans called a pass, Ray blocked effectively, then he came out of the game.

"This wasn't Mark Dantonio being a nice guy," Dantonio said. "This was Joel Foreman being selfless."

Foreman, Ray's roommate, had planned the gesture since the spring, but he hadn't told him.

"I had no idea," Ray said. "I found out right before the game. It shows his character, how selfless he is. I've been waiting for this moment a long time."

Cancer survivor Arthur Ray Jr. (No. 73) stands next to Joel Foreman (No. 67) during the national anthem prior to the Youngstown State game. Foreman volunteered his starting position for Ray for the season opener, as Ray played for the first time since a high school all-star game in January 2007.

SCORING SUMMARY

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (7-0)	Caper 6-yard run (Conroy kick), 12:04 left Drive: 9 plays, 80 yards, 4:32
YSU (6-7)	Berassa 10-yard pass from Hess (Brown kick blocked), 7:38 left Drive: 9 plays, 62 yards, 3:22
MSU (14-6)	Bell 3-yard run (Conroy kick) 5:47 left Drive: 4 plays, 74 yards, 1:47

THIRD QUARTER

MSU (21-6)	Cunningham 18-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 4:52 left Drive: 11 plays, 75 yards, 5:20

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (28-6)	Bell 3-yard run (Conroy kick), 7:09 left Drive: 3 plays, 17 yards, 1:09

TEAM STATISTICS	YSU	MSU
First Downs	20	22
Rushes-Yards	34-128	35-159
Passing Yards	126	237
Passes	17-35-1	19-23-0
Total Offense	254	396
Punts-Avg.	5-34.6	3-38.3
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	4-32	8-55
Possession Time	31:09	28:51

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Baker 15-91, Bell 9-40, Caper 4-22, Martin 2-11, Hill 2-7, Cousins 3-(-12); **YSU:** Cook 17-76, Thompson 9-25, Hess 2-19, Stubbs 3-14, Bellamy 1-2, Team 2-(-8).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 18-22-0-222-1, Maxwell 1-1-0-15-0; **YSU:** Hess 17-35-1-126-1.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Cunningham 9-130, Caper 3-37, Martin 2-28, Linthicum 2-11, Lippett 1-15, Nichol 1-14, Anderson 1-2; **YSU:** Bryan 6-45, Watts 2-24, Disher 2-23, Berassa 2-8, Cook 1-16, Rogers 1-7, Stubbs 1-4, Thompson 1-3, Bellamy 1-(-4).

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Bullough 15 (3-12), Allen 9 (2-7), Adams 7 (6-1), Dennard 6 (4-2), Gholston 6 (1-5), Norman 6 (1-5); **YSU:** Edwards 11 (5-6), Sasson 11 (4-7), Garner 10 (7-3), D'Alesio 4 (3-1), Four with 3.

GAME 2 • NO. 17/16 MICHIGAN STATE 44, FLORIDA ATLANTIC 0

Game 2 vs. Florida Atlantic
Sept. 10, 2011 • East Lansing, Mich.
Spartan Stadium • Att: 70,249

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) - Jerel Worthy and the Michigan State Spartans had a long week to stew after a sluggish performance in their season opener.

Then they took the field against Florida Atlantic, ready to prove a point.

Worthy helped set the tone with an early sack, and No. 17 Michigan State held FAU to one first down in a 44-0 victory over the Owls on Saturday. Kirk Cousins threw for 183 yards and two touchdowns for the Spartans, who outgained FAU 434-48.

B.J. Cunningham caught five passes for 73 yards, breaking a tie with Matt Trannon for Michigan State's career lead in receptions. The Spartans (2-0) led 27-0 at halftime.

Michigan State has held an opponent to one first down only one other time - against Maryland in 1944.

Cousins finished 16 of 20, and backup Andrew Maxwell also played quite a bit. Cunningham entered the game even with Trannon at 148 catches, but he had two receptions on Michigan State's first drive to take sole possession of first place on that list. On the milestone catch, Cunningham actually stumbled and was juggling the ball while on his back before disappearing with it underneath a pile of players.

Edwin Baker capped Michigan State's first drive with a 9-yard touchdown run, and Le'Veon Bell added a 2-yard scoring run late in the quarter to make it 14-0.

Dan Conroy equaled his career best with a 50-yard field goal that made it 17-0, then added a 41-yarder.

Cousins made it 27-0 with a 1-yard touchdown pass to Dion Sims with 12 seconds remaining in the half, and the senior quarterback caught a bit of a break in the third quarter when his fourth-down pass went through the hands of FAU's Keith Reaser and was caught by Garrett Celek for an 8-yard touchdown.

The Spartans were uncharacteristically shaky on special teams against Youngstown State, but Keshawn Martin provided a boost Saturday with a nifty 35-yard punt return in the second quarter that helped set up Sims' last-minute touchdown.

Conroy did miss a 28-yard field goal in the third quarter, hitting the left upright. Backup kicker Kevin Muma made a field goal from the same distance in the fourth to make it 37-0.

FAU quarterback Graham Wilbert went 4 of 10 for 15 yards, and the Owls couldn't run the ball either against Michigan State's tough defensive front. In the fourth quarter, FAU's Xavier Stinson ran for 14 yards and what would have been the Owls' second first down - but he fumbled, and Michigan State's Jeremy Langford returned it 37 yards for a touchdown and a 44-0 lead.

The only FAU first down came in the second quarter, when back-up quarterback David Kooi threw an 8-yard pass to DeAndre Richardson on second-and-4.

Michigan State's defense tied a school record by allowing just one first down to Florida Atlantic. The Spartans held the Owls to just 48 yards of total offense, the lowest output for an MSU opponent since 1965 (Notre Dame, 12 yards).

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Florida Atlantic (0-2)	0	0	0	0	-	0
Michigan State (2-0)	14	13	7	10	-	44

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

MSU (7-0)	Baker 9-yard run (Conroy kick), 10:43 left Drive: 7 play, 51 yards, 3:23
MSU (14-0)	Bell 2-yard run (Conroy kick), 1:44 left Drive: 12 plays, 73 yards, 6:39

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (17-0)	Conroy 50-yard field goal, 10:44 left Drive: 9 plays, 35 yards, 4:10
MSU (20-0)	Conroy 41-yard field goal, 3:43 left Drive: 10 plays, 46 yards, 4:45
MSU (27-0)	Sims 1-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 0:12 left Drive: 4 plays, 43 yards, 0:23

THIRD QUARTER

MSU (34-0)	Celek 8-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 2:42 left Drive: 13 plays, 56 yards, 6:59

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (37-0)	Muma 28-yard field goal, 9:57 left Drive: 14 plays, 69 yards, 6:55
MSU (44-0)	Langford 37-yard fumble recovery (Conroy kick), 8:22 left

TEAM STATISTICS	FAU	MSU
First Downs	1	27
Rushes-Yards	20-22	51-188
Passing Yards	26	246
Passes	6-13-0	22-32-0
Total Offense	48	434
Punts-Avg.	9-40.3	1-36.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-0
Penalties-Yards	5-55	3-20
Possession Time	17:34	42:26

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Bell 14-69, Hill 14-58, Baker 9-50, Caper 9-2, Maxwell 2-(-4), Lippett 1-(-3), Cousins 1-(-6); **FAU:** Morris 10-21, Stinson 2-15, Floyd 2-6, White 1-1, Wilbert 1-(-10), Kooi 3-(-14).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 16-20-0-183-2, Maxwell 6-10-0-63-0, Badovinac 0-1-0-0-0; **FAU:** Wilbert 4-10-0-15-0, Kooi 2-3-0-11-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Martin 7-72, Cunningham 5-73, Sims 4-27, Nichol 2-40, Baker 1-9, Sonntag 1-9, Mumphery 1-8, Celek 1-8; **FAU:** Richardson 2-16, Morris 1-3, Clark 1-3, Williams 1-2, Dorvilus 1-2.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Bullough 4 (2-2), M. White 3 (2-1), Elsworth 3 (1-2), Jones 3 (1-2), Drummond 3 (1-2), A.R. White 3 (1-2); **FAU:** Hinds 13 (6-7), Bartels 12 (7-5), Kirk 9 (2-7), Howard 8 (6-2), Two with 6.

GAME 3 • NOTRE DAME 31, NO. 15/15 MICHIGAN STATE 13

Game 3 vs. Notre Dame
Sept. 17, 2011 • Notre Dame, Ind.
Notre Dame Stadium • Att: 80,795

NOTRE DAME, Ind. (AP) - No. 15 Michigan State suffered its first defeat of the 2011 season on Saturday, as Notre Dame used two touchdown runs from Cierre Wood, an electrifying 89-yard kickoff return from freshman George Atkinson III and a key late interception from Robert Blanton to beat the Spartans.

The Irish also showed they can stop a play off a fake field goal.

The Spartans (2-1) stunned Notre Dame in overtime a year ago with a game-winning TD pass off a fake field goal and tried to surprise the Irish again after lining up for a field goal near the end of the first half.

Notre Dame (1-2) was ready this time. On fourth-and-goal from the 2, Ethan Johnson broke up a shovel pass attempt and the Irish led 21-10 at the half.

Michigan State's Kirk Cousins, who had 11-straight completions at one juncture of the second half, was 34 of 53 for 329 yards but he was intercepted at the Notre Dame 6 with just under four minutes left by Blanton, who returned it 82 yards to the 12.

The Spartans had just recovered a fumbled punt by Notre Dame's John Goodman at the Irish 21 and were ready to set the stage for another frantic finish between the rivals. But with the Spartans trailing 28-13 and having a first-and-goal at the 3, Blanton came up with a juggling interception and then took off on his long return that sealed the win.

Notre Dame was coming off a crushing loss at Michigan, giving up 28 fourth-quarter points and a game-winning TD pass with two seconds to go.

Cousins completed 12 of his passes to B.J. Cunningham as the Spartans were forced to go to the air and play catch-up.

Notre Dame quarterback Tommy Rees overcame a first-half fumble and interception and finished 18 of 26 for 161 yards.

Notre Dame pushed the lead to 28-10 in the third quarter when Rees hit Michael Floyd on a 22-yard pass and then lofted a perfect 26-yarder to TJ Jones for a touchdown. The Irish were penalized on the ensuing kickoff for unsportsmanlike conduct after Jones made a hand signal following his catch.

Cousins came right back after a 42-yard kickoff return by Nick Hill gave the Spartans good field position. His 21-yard pass to Todd Anderson and an 11-yarder to Cunningham gave the Spartans a first down at the Irish 8.

But after the drive stalled, MSU lined up for a field goal, only to have its attempt at trickery turned away.

After Notre Dame took an early 7-0 lead on a Wood TD run, the teams traded turnovers twice.

Rees took a hard blindside hit from Kevin Pickelman and fumbled with MSU's Jerel Worthy recovering. But just moments later, Notre Dame freshman defensive end Aaron Lynch drove into Cousins from behind, forcing a fumble and Johnson recovered for the Irish. But three plays later Rees' pass was picked off by Kurtis Drummond and returned 34 yards to the Irish 27, setting up Conroy's 40-yard field goal that made it 7-3. It was Notre Dame's 12th turnover of the season.

But 12 seconds later, Atkinson - the son of the former NFL star defensive back - took the ensuing kickoff, broke to the sideline and sprinted in for the touchdown. It was Notre Dame's first kickoff return for a TD by a freshman since Raghib Ismail returned two against Rice in 1988.

B.J. Cunningham recorded career highs in receptions (12) and receiving yards (158) against Notre Dame, but it wasn't enough as the Spartans fell to the Fighting Irish, 31-13.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (2-1)	3	7	0	3	-	13
Notre Dame (1-2)	14	7	7	3	-	31

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

ND (7-0)	Wood 22-yard run (Ruffer kick) 10:41 left
	Drive: 8 plays, 76 yards, 4:19
MSU (3-7)	Conroy 40-yard field goal, 1:32 left
	Drive: 4 plays, 4 yards, 1:27
ND (14-3)	Atkinson 89-yard kickoff return (Ruffer kick), 1:20 left

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (10-14)	Sims 6-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 11:57 left
	Drive: 11 plays, 80 yards, 4:23
ND (21-10)	Wood 6-yard run (Ruffer kick), 3:36 left
	Drive: 10 plays, 92 yards, 4:49

THIRD QUARTER

ND (28-10)	Jones 26-yard pass from Rees (Ruffer kick), 9:30 left
	Drive: 8 plays, 71 yards, 3:47

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (13-28)	Conroy 35-yard field goal, 10:56 left
	Drive: 8 plays, 42 yards, 3:53
ND(31-13)	Ruffer 33-yard field goal, 3:11 left
	Drive: 4 plays, 5 yards, 0:21

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	ND
First Downs	21	18
Rushes-Yards	23-29	32-114
Passing Yards	329	161
Passes	34-54-1	18-26-1
Total Offense	358	275
Punts-Avg.	6-39.7	4-41.5
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-2
Penalties-Yards	12-86	6-53
Possession Time	32:28	27:32

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Bell 7-27, Baker 10-26, Cunningham 1(-1), Martin 1-(-3), Cousins 4-(-20); **ND:** Wood 14-61, Gray 12-65, Rees 4-(-7).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 34-53-1-329-1, Sonntag 0-1-0-0-0; **ND:** Rees 18-26-1-161-1.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Cunningham 12-58, Martin 5-32, Bell 5-23, Caper 4-25, Sims 3-38, Baker 2-15, Anderson 1-21, Nichol 1-9, Linthicum 1-8; **ND:** Floyd 6-84, Wood 6-5, Jones 3-40, Eifert 2-25, Riddick 1-7.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Lewis 9 (5-4), Allen 7 (4-3), Rush 7 (3-4), Norman 7 (2-5), Adams 5 (4-1); **ND:** Te'o 12 (2-10), Gray 10 (7-3), Smith 8 (4-4), Blanton 6 (3-3), Motta 6 (1-5).

GAME 4 • RV/NO. 23 MICHIGAN STATE 45, CENTRAL MICHIGAN 7

Game 4 vs. Central Michigan
Sept. 24, 2011 • East Lansing, Mich.
Spartan Stadium • Att: 72,119

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) - Le'Veon Bell ran for 81 yards and three touchdowns - all in the first half - to lead Michigan State to a 45-7 victory over in-state rival Central Michigan.

The Spartans bounced back from last weekend's loss at Notre Dame, taking advantage of four Central Michigan turnovers. Isaiah Lewis returned an interception 37 yards for a touchdown, helping Michigan State race to a 31-0 halftime lead.

The Chippewas (1-3) finally scored in the third quarter after a blocked punt when Ryan Radcliff threw a 5-yard touchdown pass to David Blackburn.

After struggling to run the ball against Notre Dame, the Spartans immediately re-established that part of their offense. Michigan State's first five plays were runs by Edwin Baker. Then Kirk Cousins threw deep to B.J. Cunningham for a 54-yard gain to the Central Michigan 1-yard line. Bell scored on the next play.

Cousins threw an interception early in the second quarter, but Radcliff returned the favor. Michigan State's Trenton Robinson intercepted his pass at the 3-yard line and returned it 34 yards. The Spartans then moved down the field with five-straight runs, capped by Bell's touchdown from 5 yards out.

A.J. Westendorp came on at quarterback for Central Michigan but quickly threw two interceptions, the first of which was returned for a touchdown by Lewis. Bell's 13-yard touchdown with 1:23 left in the second quarter made it 31-0.

Cousins wasn't especially sharp, going 13 of 22 for 213 yards. He did throw a 15-yard touchdown pass to Larry Caper in the third quarter before being relieved by backup Andrew Maxwell.

Maxwell threw his first career touchdown pass, a 3-yarder to Dion Sims in the fourth quarter.

Le'Veon Bell tied his career high with three rushing touchdowns in the 45-7 win over Central Michigan.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Central Michigan (1-3)	0	0	7	0	-	7
Michigan State (3-1)	7	24	7	7	-	45

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
MSU (7-0) Bell 1-yard run (Conroy kick), 11:44 left
Drive: 7 plays, 80 yards, 3:16

SECOND QUARTER
MSU (14-0) Bell 5-yard run (Conroy kick), 10:05 left
Drive: 5 plays, 63 yards, 2:19
MSU (21-0) Lewis 37-yard interception return (Conroy kick), 7:47 left

MSU (24-0) Conroy 23-yard field goal, 5:00 left
Drive: 5 plays, 23 yards, 2:01
MSU (31-0) Bell 13-yard run (Conroy kick), 1:23 left
Drive: Drive: 9 plays, 62 yards, 1:59 left

THIRD QUARTER
CMU (7-31) Blackburn 5-yard pass from Radcliff (Harman kick), 10:11 left
Drive: 3 plays, 13 yards, 1:33
MSU (38-7) Caper 15-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 3:20 left
Drive: 6 plays, 71 yards, 3:20 left

FOURTH QUARTER
MSU (45-7) Sims 3-yard pass from Maxwell (Conroy kick), 11:02 left
Drive: 5 plays, 42 yards, 2:48

TEAM STATISTICS	CMU	MSU
First Downs	8	23
Rushes-Yards	18-21	47-197
Passing Yards	91	284
Passes	12-33-4	20-30-1
Total Offense	112	481
Punts-Avg.	7-38.0	2-43.5
Fumbles-Lost	3-0	2-0
Penalties-Yards	3-26	4-20
Possession Time	21:55	38:05

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Bell 8-81, Caper 11-54, Baker 16-49, Hill 8-20, Maxwell 2-(-2), Team 2-(-3); **CMU:** Westendorp 2-15, Garland 7-9, Phillips 7-8, Radcliff 2-(-11).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 13-22-1-213-1, Maxwell 7-8-0-71-1; **CMU:** Radcliff 11-29-2-87-1, Westendorp 1-4-2-4-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Sonntag 4-32, Cunningham 3-67, Nichol 3-54, Lippett 3-29, Sims 2-15, Mumphery 1-31, Baker 1-19, Bell 1-17, Caper 1-15, Linthicum 1-5; **CMU:** Wilson 3-31, Phillips 3-25, Blackburn 2-7, Harris 2-7, Wilson 1-23, Fleming 1-(-2).

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Allen 5 (3-2), Hammock 5 (2-3), Elsworth 5 (2-3), Robinson 5 (1-4), Lewis 3 (1-2); **CMU:** Cunningham 10 (5-5), Addae 10 (2-8), Eaddy 7 (2-5), Carr 6 (5-1), Petrucci 6 (2-4).

GAME 5 • RV/NO. 25 MICHIGAN STATE 10, OHIO STATE 7

Game 5 vs. Ohio State
Oct. 1, 2011 • Columbus, Ohio
Ohio Stadium • Att: 105,306

COLUMBUS, Ohio - Michigan State, ranked No. 1 in the FBS in total defense entering Saturday's game at Ohio State, lived up to its billing in a 10-7 win over the Buckeyes at Ohio Stadium.

The Spartans (4-1, 1-0 Big Ten) kept Ohio State (3-1, 0-1) off the scoreboard until the final 10 seconds of the game, as Evan Spencer's 33-yard TD reception prevented MSU from recording its first-ever shutout over the Buckeyes.

MSU recorded nine sacks and 13 tackles for loss, both the highest totals for a Spartan defense in the Mark Dantonio era. Seven different players recorded sacks, led by Chris Norman and William Gholston, who each collected a career-high three tackles for loss. Norman had a career-high two sacks for 13 yards, and Denicos Allen also produced two sacks for 16 yards.

"It was a big program win for us," said Dantonio. "I thought our guys played well, especially together. We played well on special teams and defense. You have to play good defense and special teams and protect the quarterback to win. I thought we did all of those things today."

Michigan State scored the game's only touchdown midway through the first quarter on Kirk Cousins' 33-yard strike to B.J. Cunningham in the back of the end zone. Cunningham finished with nine catches for 154 yards - the most receiving yards ever by a Spartan against Ohio State - and it marked his fifth career 100-yard receiving game and third of the season.

"I looked back and (Kirk) was rolling out," said Cunningham on his touchdown catch. "I wanted to try to get open and try to make a play. He threw the ball up, trusted me, and I just went and made a play on the ball."

Cousins finished 20-of-32 passing for 250 yards and two interceptions.

Although turnovers halted several potential scoring drives, the Spartans did extend their lead to 10-0 early in the fourth quarter on Dan Conroy's 50-yard field goal, which tied his career long.

It was all the defense would need.

Ohio State was held to 178 total yards of offense - and got 62 of those yards on their last drive of the game. The Buckeyes rushed for just 4 yards in the second half and had 35 yards on the ground total.

"I have to credit my defensive coaches with coming up with a good game plan," said Huber Heights, Ohio, native Jerel Worthy, who had a 5-yard sack in the second quarter. "We had a lot of pressure early. Once you get into that rhythm, you realize the offensive line is on their heels a little bit, you kind of want to keep the pressure on."

For Michigan State, it was the best defensive performance for the program against Ohio State since its last win over OSU in 1999 when the Buckeyes rushed for 0 net yards and had just 79 total yards of offense. The victory also snapped MSU's seven-game losing streak to the Buckeyes, and it marked MSU's first win over Ohio State in Columbus since 1998.

"Give a lot of credit to Michigan State," said Ohio State interim head coach Luke Fickell. "They came in here and outplayed us."

Michigan State's defense recorded nine sacks and 13 tackles for loss at Ohio State in limiting the Buckeyes to just 178 total yards of offense.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (4-1, 1-0)	7	0	0	3	-	10
Ohio State (3-2, 0-1)	0	0	0	7	-	7

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
MSU (7-0) Cunningham 33-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 7:44 left
Drive: 5 plays, 65 yards, 2:18

FOURTH QUARTER
MSU (10-0) Conroy 50-yard field goal, 10:35 left
Drive: 4 plays, 7 yards, 1:15
OSU (10-7) Spencer 33-yard pass from Bauserman (Basil kick), 0:10 left
Drive: 7 plays, 62 yards, 1:41

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	OSU
First Downs	15	12
Rushes-Yards	31-71	39-35
Passing Yards	250	143
Passes	20-32-2	12-25-1
Total Offense	321	178
Punts-Avg.	6-40.8	10-40.6
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	6-54	9-82
Possession Time	28:26	31:34

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Bell 14-50, Baker 12-36, Caper 1-(-1), Cousins 2-(-5); OSU: Hall 18-45, Hyde 5-33, Bauserman 7(-16), Miller 9-(-27).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 20-32-2-250-1; OSU: Bauserman 7-14-0-87-1; Miller 5-10-1-56-0; Team 0-1-0-0-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Cunningham 9-154, Martin 5-45, Nichol 2-21, Bell 2-17, Sims 1-7, Celek 1-6; OSU: Reed 4-43, Hyde 3-14, Fields 2-45, Stoneburner 2-8, Spencer 1-33.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Bullough 9 (5-4), Lewis 8 (4-4), Norman 7 (7-0), Gholston 5 (5-0), Rush 4 (4-0); OSU: Howard 10 (5-5), Sweat 10 (4-6), Bryant 9 (7-2), Hankins 7 (7-0) Roby 4 (3-1).

GAME 6 • NO. 23/19 MICHIGAN STATE 28, NO. 11/10 MICHIGAN 14

Game 6 vs. Michigan
Oct. 15, 2011 • East Lansing, Mich.
Spartan Stadium • Att: 77,515

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) - Jerel Worthy and his Michigan State teammates charged across the field, holding four fingers in the air while celebrating another sweet victory over their biggest rival.

"A clean sweep!" Worthy yelled.

In his four years with the Spartans, Worthy has never lost to Michigan. He and the rest of Michigan State's defensive line helped extend that run, shutting down Denard Robinson and the 11th-ranked Wolverines in a 28-14 victory.

The 23rd-ranked Spartans have won four straight against Michigan for the first time since 1959-62, equaling Michigan State's longest streak in the series.

"For the rest of our life, we can walk the streets of Michigan," quarterback Kirk Cousins said.

Cousins, a fifth-year senior, is the first Michigan State starting quarterback to win three straight over Michigan.

Keshawn Martin scored twice in the third quarter on similar lunges to the end zone, and Michigan State (5-1, 2-0 Big Ten) held off Robinson and the Wolverines during a wild fourth quarter.

Michigan (6-1, 2-1) lost for the first time under coach Brady Hoke. The Wolverines had a chance to tie it, but Robinson was sacked on fourth-and-1 from the Michigan State 9-yard line with 6:16 to play.

Robinson later threw an interception, and Isaiah Lewis returned it 39 yards for a touchdown with 4:31 left to make it 28-14. Shortly after that, Robinson was shaken up by a hit and left the game.

Edwin Baker ran for 167 yards and a touchdown for the Spartans.

"It's a big win, a program win," Michigan State coach Mark Dantonio said. "To do that a fourth-straight year says a lot about our players."

Robinson ran for a first-quarter touchdown but was mostly ineffective through the air, going 9 for 24 for 123 yards and a touchdown on a windy day in East Lansing.

Down 21-7, Robinson found Roy Roundtree for a 34-yard touchdown with 9:49 left in the game. Martin then fumbled on an end around, giving Michigan the ball at the Michigan State 32.

After converting fourth-and-1 from the 23 with a short run, Robinson faced the same down and distance from the 9. Michigan called a slow-developing play-action attempt, and Johnny Adams sacked Robinson to end the drive.

After Michigan got the ball back, Robinson's pass was intercepted by Lewis, who took it back for a touchdown.

Kirk Cousins celebrates following a Keshawn Martin touchdown in the 28-14 win over Michigan. Cousins is the first Spartan starting quarterback to defeat Michigan three-straight times.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan (6-1, 2-1)	7	0	0	7	-	14
Michigan State (5-1, 2-0)	7	0	14	7	-	28

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
MICH (7-0) Robinson 15-yard run (Gibbons kick), 8:50 left
Drive: 10 plays, 80 yards, 6:10
MSU (7-7) Baker 1-yard run (Conroy kick), 5:08 left
Drive: 9 plays, 63 yards, 3:37

THIRD QUARTER
MSU (14-7) Martin 10-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 11:07 left
Drive: 9 plays, 54 yards, 3:49
MSU (21-7) Martin 13-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick) 0:25 left
Drive: 10 plays, 61 yards, 4:08

FOURTH QUARTER
MICH (21-14) Roundtree 34-yard pass from Robinson (Gibbons kick), 9:49 left
Drive: 1 plays, 34 yards, 0:07
MSU (28-14) Lewis 39-yard interception return (Conroy kick), 4:31 left

TEAM STATISTICS	UM	MICH
First Downs	20	16
Rushes-Yards	36-82	39-213
Passing Yards	168	120
Passes	12-31-1	13-24-0
Total Offense	250	333
Punts-Avg.	7-31.9	5-41.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	5-40	13-124
Possession Time	29:27	30:33

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Baker 26-167, Bell 7-20, Martin 3-20 Cousins 2-0; **MICH:** Robinson 18-42, Smith 8-37, Gallon 1-8, Toussaint 2-7, Dileo 1-3, Gardner 6-(-15).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 13-24-0-120-2; **MICH:** Robinson 9-24-1-123-1, Gardner 3-7-0-45-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Cunningham 4-39, Martin 3-31, 42, Linthicum 2-22, Nichol 2-20, Caper 1-3, Bell 1-5; **MICH:** Roundtree 4-66, Gallon 3-43, Hemingway 3-43, Koger 2-16.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Norman 10 (6-4), Bullough 8 (2-6), Allen 7 (3-4), Robinson 6 (5-1), Lewis 6 (1-5); **UM:** Gordon 7 (4-3), Kovacs 6 (6-0), Roh 6 (4-2), Countess 6 (3-3), Demens 5 (4-1).

GAME 7 • NO. 15/13 MICHIGAN STATE 37, NO. 4/4 WISCONSIN 31

Game 7 vs. Wisconsin
Oct. 22, 2011 • East Lansing, Mich.
Spartan Stadium • Att: 76,405

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) - A heave. A carom. A desperate struggle for the last few inches.

And after further review, a miraculous win by Michigan State.

Keith Nichol caught a 44-yard pass from Kirk Cousins on the game's final play for a tiebreaking touchdown, giving the 15th-ranked Spartans a 37-31 victory against No. 4 Wisconsin.

With 4 seconds left, Cousins rolled out to his right and threw it about as far as he could. The ball went into the end zone but caromed off Michigan State receiver B.J. Cunningham's facemask back to Nichol, who caught it just outside the end zone and struggled for the goal line, fighting two Wisconsin defenders and just barely breaking the plane.

The former back-up quarterback was initially ruled short of the end zone, but officials overturned the call after a review, giving the Spartans (6-1, 3-0 Big Ten) the win and knocking the Badgers (6-1, 2-1) from the ranks of the unbeaten.

"We knew we had a chance," Cousins said. "There's always a chance."

Russell Wilson had led the Badgers from 14 points down in the fourth quarter to tie the game with 1:26 left on a to 2-yard touchdown pass to Montee Ball.

The wild game - in which both teams blew two-touchdown leads - featured an even more memorable finish. Wisconsin trailed 31-17 in the fourth quarter before Wilson ran 22 yards for a touchdown and made several spectacular throws on the move to set up the TD pass to Ball to tie it at 31.

Michigan State then survived a harrowing moment when Cousins fumbled deep in Spartan territory. Offensive lineman Dan France fell on the ball with 42 seconds left.

At that point, Wisconsin was eager to use timeouts, trying to get the ball back, but on second-and-20 from his own 24, Cousins found Cunningham for a 12-yard gain. The Spartans then picked up a first down on an 11-yard shovel pass to Keshawn Martin.

"If we get the ball back with less than 30 seconds, we were going to go for a block," Wisconsin coach Bret Bielema said. "We were going for the win."

Michigan State's last drive appeared to stall at the Wisconsin 44, but the Spartans had time for one more play - one that will go down in Michigan State history along with last year's fake field that beat Notre Dame in another extraordinary night game at Spartan Stadium.

Cousins was able to buy enough time for receivers to get down the field. Cunningham was in the end zone, and the ball bounced off his helmet and into Nichol's arms. After Nichol caught the pass, Michigan State players immediately started spilling onto the field, even though officials ruled that Wisconsin's Mike Taylor had stopped him short. When the call was reversed and a touchdown was awarded, the celebration began again.

"It's a play that everybody practices," Michigan State coach Mark Dantonio said. "You never know when it's going to come to fruition."

Keith Nichol made the game-winning, 44-yard catch off a Hail Mary pass from Kirk Cousins on the final play of the game as the Spartans defeated No. 4 Wisconsin, 37-31.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Wisconsin (6-1, 2-1)	14	0	3	14	-	31
Michigan State (6-1, 3-0)	0	23	0	14	-	37

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

WIS (7-0)	Pedersen 9-yard pass from Wilson (Welch kick), 8:48 left Drive: 11 plays, 80 yards, 6:18
WIS (14-0)	Ball 9-yard run (Welch kick), 7:42 left Drive: 3 plays, 30 yards, 0:56

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (2-14)	Team safety, 13:10 left
MSU (9-14)	Martin 34-yard run (Conroy kick), 11:22 left Drive: 4 plays, 72 yards, 1:47
MSU (16-14)	Cunningham 35-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 1:20 left Drive: 8 plays, 80 yards, 4:35
MSU (23-14)	Fowler 0-yard blocked punt return (Conroy kick), 0:37 left

THIRD QUARTER

WIS (17-23)	Welch 33-yard field goal, 8:29 left Drive: 8 plays, 58 yards, 3:24

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (31-17)	Martin 15-yard pass from Cousins (Cunningham pass from Cousins), 10:58 left Drive: 13 plays, 80 yards, 7:40
WIS (24-31)	Wilson 22-yard run (Welch kick), 8:10 left Drive: 3 plays, 43 yards, 0:36
WIS (31-31)	Ball 2-yard pass from Wilson (Welch kick), 1:26 left Drive: 8 plays, 87 yards, 3:09
MSU (37-31)	Nichol 44-yard pass from Cousins, 0:00 left Drive: 9 plays, 78 yards, 1:19

TEAM STATISTICS	WIS	MSU
First Downs	23	18
Rushes-Yards	41-220	32-109
Passing Yards	223	290
Passes	14-21-2	22-31-0
Total Offense	443	399
Punts-Avg.	3-27.7	7-38.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	6-40	0-0
Possession Time	28:29	31:31

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Bell 16-87, Martin 1-34, Baker 11-15, Cousins 4-(-27); **WIS:** Ball 18-115, White 11-42, Abbrederis 4-33, Wilson 8-30.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 22-31-0-290-3; **WIS:** Wilson 14-21-2-223-2.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Cunningham 6-102, Martin 5-41, Bell 4-27, Linthicum 3-58, Sims 2-12, Nichol 1-44, Caper 1-6; **WIS:** Abbrederis 6-91, Toon 2-58, Ball 2-24, Pedersen 2-23, Ewing 1-15, White 1-12.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Norman 9 (6-3), Robinson 8 (4-4), Adams 7 (5-2), Dennard 6 (4-2), Lewis 6 (3-3); **WIS:** Borland 13 (6-7), Taylor 7 (4-3), Henry 7 (4-3), Fenelus 6 (4-2), three with four.

GAME 8 • NO. 13/13 NEBRASKA 24, NO. 9/10 MICHIGAN STATE 3

Game 8 vs. Nebraska
Oct. 29, 2011 • Lincoln, Neb.
Memorial Stadium • Att: 85,641

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) - Rex Burkhead scored three touchdowns and ran for 130 yards on 35 carries as No. 13 Nebraska defeated ninth-ranked Michigan State 24-3.

Burkhead, who went over 100 yards for the fifth time in six games, scored at the end of 80- and 89-yard drives in the third quarter to put Nebraska up 24-3.

Taylor Martinez completed 6-of-7 passes for 80 yards in the third quarter after going 1 for 6 in the first half.

Michigan State (6-2, 3-1), coming off the incredible finish to its win over Wisconsin last week, managed just 187 yards against Nebraska's improving defense. Kirk Cousins was 11 of 27 for 86 yards, with an interception that set up the Huskers' first score.

The Huskers led 10-3 at half and put away the game with two time-consuming drives in the third quarter. Martinez completed only a shovel pass for no yards and was intercepted on a poorly thrown ball in the first half, but offensive coordinator Tim Beck called on him to throw anyway. He went 4 for 4 and completed third-down passes to Tim Marlowe and Brandon Kinnie before Burkhead scored from a yard out. Officials initially ruled Burkhead lost a fumble at the goal line, but the video review showed that the ball crossed the goal line.

After another defensive stop by Nebraska, Martinez led the Huskers on a 12-play series that lasted 5:24 and essentially wrapped up the game. Burkhead carried on eight of the first nine plays and then, two plays after limping off the field with a cramp in his left leg, caught a 27-yard touchdown pass.

Burkhead led a rushing attack that finished with 190 yards against a defense that had been allowing 88.9 a game.

Cousins, who last week became the winningest quarterback in MSU history, struggled from the start. Lance Thorrell stepped in front of a pass intended for B.J. Cunningham and returned it 26 yards to set up the Huskers at the Spartans' 25. Burkhead scored from the 1 seven plays later.

Cousins couldn't get the Spartans into the end zone after Johnny Adams intercepted a poorly thrown ball by Martinez and ran it back to the Nebraska 28. A defensive holding call put the ball inside the 10, but Cousins' end-zone pass to Cunningham was too hot to handle and then Nebraska safety Daimion Stafford dropped a bad throw that could have been run back for a touchdown.

William Gholston (left) and Marcus Rush (right) combine to stop Nebraska quarterback Taylor Martinez during MSU's 24-3 loss to the Cornhuskers. Gholston (15) and Rush (11) each recorded career highs in tackles at Nebraska.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (6-2, 3-1)	0	3	0	0	-	3
Nebraska (7-1, 3-1)	10	0	14	0	-	24

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

NEB (7-0)	Burkhead 1-yard run (Maher kick), 9:12 left Drive: 7 plays, 25 yards, 2:49
NEB (10-0)	Maher 20-yard field goal, 1:21 left Drive: 6 plays, 38 yards, 2:31

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (3-10)	Conroy 28-yard field goal, 1:39 left Drive: 7 plays, 17 yards, 3:03

THIRD QUARTER

NEB (17-3)	Burkhead 1-yard run (Maher kick), 9:32 left Drive: 14 plays, 80 yards, 5:28
NEB (24-3)	Burkhead 27-yard pass from Martinez (Maher kick) 0:20 left Drive: 12 plays, 89 yards, 5:44

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	NEB
First Downs	12	18
Rushes-Yards	30-101	58-190
Passing Yards	86	80
Passes	11-27-1	7-13-1
Total Offense	187	270
Punts-Avg.	5-36.4	4-43.2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	3-0
Penalties-Yards	9-90	9-58
Possession Time	28:35	31:25

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Bell 12-58, Baker 10-38, Martin 2-5, Cousins 6-0; **NEB:** Burkhead 35-130, Marlowe 1-39, Martinez 12-23, Green 4-8, Bell 1-4, Legate 1-0.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 11-27-1-86-0; **NEB:** Martinez 7-13-1-80-1

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Martin 5-58, Bell 3-12, Linthicum 2-16, Anderson 1-0; **NEB:** Kinnie 2-23, Cotton 2-5, Burkhead 1-27, Bell 1-19, Marlowe 1-6.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Gholston 15 (4-11), Rush 11 (7-4), Elsworth 10 (3-7), Robinson 8 (3-5), Dennard 6 (5-1); **NEB:** David 13 (6-7), Compton 7 (5-2), Green 7 (2-5), Meredith 5 (2-3), Stafford 5 (1-4).

GAME 9 • NO. 15/16 MICHIGAN STATE 31, MINNESOTA 24

Game 9 vs. Minnesota
Nov. 5, 2011 • East Lansing, Mich.
Spartan Stadium • Att: 72,219

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) - Le'Veon Bell's 35-yard touchdown run with 10:58 remaining helped No. 15 Michigan State hold off upset-minded Minnesota 31-24.

Bell ran for 96 yards and two touchdowns, and Kirk Cousins threw for 296 yards and a pair of TDs. The Spartans trailed 24-21 after three quarters before rallying.

MarQueis Gray threw three touchdown passes to Da'Jon McKnight for the Golden Gophers, who upset Iowa last weekend but were unable to shake up the conference title race again.

With the score tied at 24, Bell found running room to the right and went all the way to the end zone to put the Spartans ahead. Minnesota had the ball at the Michigan State 45 with 15 seconds left, but Gray threw an interception.

Gray was 19 of 32 for a career-high 295 yards with three touchdowns and two interceptions, and McKnight caught nine passes for a career-high 173 yards.

Michigan State entered the game ranked No. 1 in the nation in pass defense, but Gray and McKnight didn't seem to notice. The 6-foot-4 quarterback found his senior receiver with a short pass early in the first quarter, and McKnight slipped past three potential tacklers before eventually dragging defensive back Johnny Adams into the end zone for a 64-yard touchdown to open the scoring.

Cousins answered with a 4-yard scoring pass to Keith Nichol, but a fumble by the Spartans' Edwin Baker later in the quarter gave Minnesota the ball at the Michigan State 26. Gray's 13-yard touchdown pass to McKnight put the Gophers back ahead.

The Spartans tied it at 14 on a 1-yard scoring run by Bell in the second quarter.

Down 17-14 in the final minute of the half, Michigan State finally found a rhythm, driving 74 yards and taking the lead on a 2-yard touchdown pass from Cousins to Todd Anderson with 5 seconds left in the second quarter. It was Anderson's first career touchdown.

The advantage was short-lived. Minnesota went 80 yards in 11 plays at the start of the third and took a 24-21 lead when Gray found McKnight in the back of the end zone for a 15-yard touchdown on third-and-12.

Dan Conroy tied it at 24 with a 40-yard field goal 11 seconds into the fourth quarter, after tight end Brian Linthicum made a nice play in the end zone to prevent a possible interception. That drive started at the Minnesota 41 after Trenton Robinson's acrobatic interception.

Robinson also made the interception in the final seconds that sealed the win.

Le'Veon Bell rushed for 96 yards in the win over Minnesota, including the game-winning, 35-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Minnesota (2-7, 1-4)	14	3	7	0	-	24
Michigan State (7-2, 4-1)	7	14	0	10	-	31

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

MINN (7-0)	McKnight 64-yard pass from Gray (Wettstein kick) 11:02 left Drive: 4 plays, 82 yards, 1:45
MSU (7-7)	Nichol 4-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 9:12 left Drive: 5 plays, 90 yards, 1:46
MINN (14-7)	McKnight 13-yard pass from Gray (Wettstein kick), 5:51 left Drive: 2 plays, 26 yards, 0:35

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (14-14)	Bell 1-yard run (Conroy kick), 14:57 left Drive: 4 plays, 54 yards, 1:31
MINN (17-14)	Wettstein 27-yard field goal, 1:03 left Drive: 15 plays, 83 yards, 8:26
MSU (21-17)	Anderson 2-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 0:05 left Drive: 8 plays, 74 yards, 0:51

THIRD QUARTER

MINN (24-21)	McKnight 15-yard pass from Gray (Wettstein kick), 9:40 left Drive: 11 plays, 80 yards, 5:18

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (24-24)	Conroy 40-yard field goal, 14:49 left Drive: 5 plays, 19 yards, 1:38
MSU (31-24)	Bell 35-yard run (Conroy kick), 10:58 Drive: 5 plays, 58 yards, 2:22

TEAM STATISTICS	MINN	MSU
First Downs	22	19
Rushes-Yards	40-120	28-106
Passing Yards	295	296
Passes	19-34-2	23-34-0
Total Offense	415	402
Punts-Avg.	5-36.6	6-35.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	8-73	5-40
Possession Time	34:28	25:32

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Bell 15-96, Baker 8-20, Cunningham 1-3, Martin 1-1; MINN: Gray 21-71, Bennett 13-42, Crawford-Tufts 1-5, Kirkwood 4-3.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 24-33-0-296-2; MINN: Gray 19-32-2-295-3, Green 0-1-0-0-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Martin 7-77, Bell 5-38, Cunningham 3-104, Nichol 3-41, Fowler 2-20, Linthicum 2-14, Anderson 1-2; MINN: McKnight 9-173, McGarry 3-21, Rabe 2-27, Green 2-20, Harris 1-28, Crawford-Tufts 1-21.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Gholston 14 (5-9), Lewis 12 (6-6), Bullough 8 (3-5), Elsworth 7 (2-5), Robinson 6 (4-2); MINN: Rallis 9 (6-3), Royston 7 (5-2), Cooper 7 (1-6), Vereen 6 (5-1) Tinsley 6 (2-4).

GAME 10 • NO. 13/13 MICHIGAN STATE 37, IOWA 21

Game 10 vs. Iowa
Nov. 12, 2011 • Iowa City, Iowa
Kinnick Stadium • Att: 70,585

IOWA CITY, Iowa (AP) - Kirk Cousins threw for 260 yards and three touchdowns and 13th-ranked Michigan State beat Iowa 37-21 to take control of the Big Ten's Legends Division.

B.J. Cunningham caught a pair of TD passes for the Spartans, who snapped a seven-game losing streak at Iowa dating back to 1989.

Michigan State took a commanding 31-7 lead with two touchdowns in a 36-second stretch late in the second quarter. Cunningham followed Le'Veon Bell's 25-yard TD run with a 22-yard touchdown catch to put Michigan State up by 24 at the break.

James Vandenberg threw for 262 yards and two touchdowns for Iowa, which lost its first home game of the season.

Save for a brief flash of life out of Iowa late in the third quarter, the Spartans coasted to a payback win over the Hawkeyes after getting pounded 37-6 last season in Iowa City.

Iowa quickly cut a 34-7 deficit to 13 points on McNutt's 3-yard TD catch and a 2-yard touchdown run by Marcus Coker. But Iowa got too cute trying a hurry-up sneak on 4th-and-1 and was called for a false start, and Vandenberg's next pass fell incomplete with 10:16 left.

Dan Conroy hit a 48-yard field goal with 5:11 left, and Tony Lippett's fumble recovery with 2:53 to go sealed the win for the Spartans.

Cousins found Cunningham alone in the middle of the end zone for a 6-yard TD pass, putting the Spartans ahead 7-0 after their first drive.

Cousins then followed a pick by Johnny Adams with a 17-yard touchdown pass to Edwin Baker to give Michigan State a 14-0 lead with 7:37 left in the first quarter.

In less than half of a quarter, the Spartans had more points than they had scored in each of their previous three road games.

Iowa's answer came seven seconds into the second, as Vandenberg found sophomore C.J. Fiedorowicz for his first career TD grab from 8 yards out.

But safety Tanner Miller went for an interception of Cousins and missed, allowing Keshawn Martin to go 67 yards and set up a 22-yard field goal from Conroy. That put the Spartans ahead 17-7 - and they weren't through yet.

Bell, who ran for 112 yards, went straight up the middle of Iowa's defense for a 25-yard touchdown run with 1:57 left in the second quarter, and Jordan Bernstine fumbled the kickoff right back to Michigan State.

That set the stage for a leaping touchdown grab by Cunningham, giving Michigan State a 31-7 lead.

B.J. Cunningham makes a leaping 22-yard touchdown catch in the second quarter at Iowa to extend MSU's lead to 31-7.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (8-2, 5-1)	14	17	3	3	-	37
Iowa (6-4, 3-3)	0	7	14	0	-	21

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

MSU (7-0)	Cunningham 6-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 9:17 left Drive: 8 plays, 64 yards, 3:30
MSU (14-0)	Baker 17-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick) 7:37 left Drive: 3 plays, 19 yards, 0:57

SECOND QUARTER

IOWA (7-14)	Fiedorowicz 8-yard pass from Vandenberg (Meyer kick), 14:53 left Drive: 7 plays, 83 yards, 3:22
MSU (17-7)	Conroy 22-yard field goal 7:37 left Drive: 9 plays, 82 yards, 3:42
MSU (24-7)	Bell 25-yard run (Conroy kick), 1:57 left Drive: 3 plays, 35 yards, 0:32
MSU (31-7)	Cunningham 22-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 1:21 left Drive: 2 plays, 27 yards, 0:36

THIRD QUARTER

MSU (34-7)	Conroy 31-yard field goal, 8:31 left Drive: 9 plays, 47 yards, 3:23
IOWA (14-34)	McNutt 3-yard pass from Vandenberg (Meyer kick), 2:52 left Drive: 9 plays, 28 yards, 2:52
IOWA (21-34)	Coker 2-yard run (Meyer kick), 5:39 left Drive: 7 plays, 80 yards, 2:44

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (37-21)	Conroy 48-yard field goal, 5:11 left Drive: 7 plays, 37 yards, 2:31

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	IOWA
First Downs	19	20
Rushes-Yards	40-155	30-87
Passing Yards	288	262
Passes	19-32-0	22-47-1
Total Offense	443	349
Punts-Avg.	6-46.2	7-41.0
Fumbles-Lost	3-0	3-2
Penalties-Yards	7-75	6-39
Possession Time	33:24	26:36

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Bell 20-112, Baker 13-51, Sonntag 1-5, Cousins 4-(-7); IOWA: Coker 21-57, McNutt 2-57, Rogers 1-2, Vandenberg 6-1.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 18-31-0-260-3, Martin 1-1-0-28-0; IOWA: Vandenberg 22-47-1-262-2.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Linthicum 5-71, Martin 4-87, Cunningham 4-46, Bell 2-49, Nichol 2-13, Baker 1-17, Anderson 1-5; IOWA: McNutt 8-130, Staggs 3-36, Derby 3-31, Coker 3-24, Davis 2-18, Fiedorowicz 2-10, Martin-Manley 1-13.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Bullough 13 (8-5), Allen 9 (3-6), Norman 6 (2-4), Lewis 5 (2-3), Adams 4 (3-1); IOWA: Kirksey 9 (5-4), Prater 8 (5-3), Hyde 7 (5-2), Miller 7 (2-5), Nardo 6 (3-3).

GAME 11 • NO. 12/12 MICHIGAN STATE 55, INDIANA 3

Game 11 vs. Indiana
Nov. 19, 2011 • East Lansing, Mich.
Spartan Stadium • Att: 74,128

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP) - Kirk Cousins threw for 273 yards and three touchdowns in just over a half and No. 12 Michigan State clinched a berth in the inaugural Big Ten Championship Game with a 55-3 rout of Indiana.

The Spartans entered the game with a one-game lead in the Legends Division over both Nebraska and Michigan, who were playing at the same time in Ann Arbor. When the Wolverines won, it locked up the division for Michigan State because of its 28-14 win over Michigan on Oct. 15.

Cousins hit B.J. Cunningham for a 7-yard touchdown on Michigan State's first possession of the second half, giving the Spartans a 41-3 lead.

On the next drive, he handed off on the first play, and then was replaced by Andrew Maxwell. Cousins saluted the Spartan logo at midfield before leaving to a large ovation. He finished 16 of 23, and now has 60 career touchdown passes, one short of Jeff Smoker's school record.

Michigan State finished with 470 total yards to 234 for Indiana, and forced the game's only two turnovers.

The Spartans scored on their first two possessions, thanks to a pair of big passes from Cousins to Cunningham. The first, a 37-yarder, led to a 21-yard field goal by Dan Conroy. On the second, the Indiana (1-10, 0-7) defense bit hard on a play-fake, leaving Cunningham alone behind the defense for a 63-yard score.

Michigan State made it 17-0 before the first quarter was over as Cousins hit Keshawn Martin on the sideline. Martin avoided two poor tackles and raced into the end zone for a 47-yard score.

A failed fake punt gave the Hoosiers good field position, but they were only able to turn it into a 22-yard field goal by Mitch Ewald.

Nick Hill, though, returned the ensuing kickoff to the Indiana 24, and Martin took a sweep 19 yards for his second touchdown of the half.

Edwin Baker's 10-yard run made it 31-3 late in the second quarter, as the Hoosiers continued to struggle badly on both sides of the ball.

Another Conroy field goal put the Spartans up by 31 at the half.

After Cousins started the second half with the touchdown to Cunningham, Johnny Adams returned an interception 86 yards to give Michigan State a 48-3 lead. Baker's second touchdown provided the final margin.

MSU Athletics Director Mark Hollis presents MSU head coach Mark Dantonio the Legends Division trophy after the Spartans clinched the title on Nov. 19 and secured a spot in the inaugural Big Ten Championship game Dec. 3 in Indianapolis.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Indiana (1-10, 0-7)	0	3	0	0	-	3
Michigan State (9-2, 6-1)	17	17	14	7	-	55

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

MSU (3-0)	Conroy 21-yard field goal, 10:07 left Drive: 8 plays, 65 yards, 3:11
MSU (10-0)	Cunningham 63-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 6:24 left Drive: 3 plays, 76 yards, 1:07
MSU (17-0)	Martin 47-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 2:09 left Drive: 5 plays, 70 yards, 2:29

SECOND QUARTER

IND (3-17)	Ewald 22-yard field goal, 10:44 left Drive: 10 plays, 55 yards, 3:27
MSU (24-3)	Martin 19-yard run (Conroy kick), 10:06 left Drive: 2 plays, 24 yards, 0:29
MSU (31-3)	Baker 10-yard run (Conroy kick), 5:17 left Drive: 6 plays, 33 yards, 3:09
MSU (34-3)	Conroy 33-yard field goal, 0:48 left Drive: 8 plays, 35 yards, 2:07

THIRD QUARTER

MSU (41-3)	Cunningham 7-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick),11:35 left Drive: 8 plays, 68 yards, 3:22
MSU (48-3)	Adams 86-yard interception return (Conroy kick), 7:37 left

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (55-3)	Baker 3-yard run (Conroy kick), 14:28 left Drive: 10 plays, 41 yards, 6:00

TEAM STATISTICS	IND	MSU
First Downs	12	22
Rushes-Yards	37-94	34-174
Passing Yards	142	296
Passes	15-32-2	21-31-0
Total Offense	236	470
Punts-Avg.	9-40.9	3-47.3
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	8-75	5-45
Possession Time	29:56	30:04

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
IND: Houston 13-40, Hughes 3-17, Robertson 10-12, Robert 5-11, Stoner 1-6, Perez 2-6, Blackwell 1-5, Muhammad 1-2, Wright-Baker 1-(-5); MSU: Bell 9-68, Baker 10-34, Hill 5-30, Martin 1-19, Caper 5-16, Maxwell 1-4, Foreman 1-3, Anderson 1-1.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
IND: Roberson 10-23-2-92-0 Wright-Baker 5-9-0-50-0; MSU: Cousins 16-23-0-272-3, Maxwell 4-7-0-22-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
IND: Muhammad 9-73, Hughes 2-27, Houston 2-26, Wynn 1-11, Perez 1-5; MSU: Martin 8-99, Cunningham 6-132, Linthicum 2-12, Bell 1-23, Celek 1-21, Nichol 1-4, Sonntag 1-3, Palazeti 1-2.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
IND: Barnett 9 (8-1), Beckum 9 (7-2), Heban 8 (3-5), Hoobler 6 (2-4), Murphy 5 (3-2); MSU: Allen 9 (5-4), Robinson 5 (3-2), Jones 5 (2-3, Norman 5 (1-4), Lippett 4 (2-2).

GAME 12 • NO. 11/10 MICHIGAN STATE 31, NORTHWESTERN 17

Game 12 vs. Northwestern
Nov. 26, 2011 • Evanston, Ill.
Ryan Field • Att: 32,172

EVANSTON, Ill. (AP) - All week long Michigan State vowed to look straight ahead at Northwestern instead of a week down the road to the Big Ten Championship Game. The Spartans were true to their word, beating Northwestern 31-17 in a competitive tuneup. With a spot in next Saturday's title game secured, Michigan State wasn't about to coast in the regular-season finale.

Michigan State wanted 10 wins and even though the Spartans had already clinched the Legends Division by virtue of a tiebreaker over Michigan, they wanted to ensure the best record in their division. All of it was accomplished on a drizzly day at Ryan Field.

Keshawn Martin returned a punt 57 yards for a TD just before half, Kirk Cousins became the school's career TD pass leader with two more and Michigan State's league-best defense came up with six sacks. Cousins threw a 33-yard TD to B.J. Cunningham in the third quarter and hit him again on a juggling 29-yard TD pass with 5:17 left to complete a 93-yard drive. It was the 62nd career touchdown pass for Cousins, breaking the school record held by Jeff Smoker (61).

Northwestern (6-6, 3-5) had its four-game winning streak snapped in the regular-season finale and now hopes for a bowl bid. The Wildcats closed to 24-17 early in the final quarter on Dan Persa's 12-yard TD pass to Demetrius Fields, set up by a clutch fourth-down pass from Persa to Jeremy Ebert.

The Wildcats got the ball back at the MSU 47, but a holding penalty and Jerel Worthy's sack of Persa forced a punt and then MSU went on its long, game-clinching drive.

Cousins completed 14 of 20 for 214 yards and Cunningham had six catches for 120 yards. Persa completed 23 of 32 for 245 yards and two TDs.

Michigan State scored two touchdowns in the final 1:40 of the second quarter, including Martin's punt return, and took a 17-3 lead at the intermission. Instead of being ahead, all of a sudden Northwestern was behind by two touchdowns.

With the score tied at 3-3, Northwestern was driving when Treyvon Green fumbled after a hit by Max Bullough and Michigan State's Denzel Drone recovered at the Spartan 3 with just more than five minutes left in the half. Northwestern called a timeout -- presumably to have the play reviewed - but Michigan State retained possession.

MSU then took off on a 97-yard drive - Cousins hit Brian Linthicum for 15 yards and heaved a 46-yarder to Martin that carried to the NU 7. Le'Veon Bell then carried the final 7 yards for a TD, completing an eight-play march that put the Spartans up 10-3.

The Spartans defense then forced a Northwestern punt and Martin fielded Brandon Williams' boot, broke to his right, signaled to blockers and sailed in for a 17-3 lead. The two TDs came just 66 seconds apart.

Keshawn Martin returned a punt 57 yards for a touchdown in MSU's 31-17 victory at Northwestern. The win clinched the Legends Division outright for the Spartans.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (10-2, 7-1)	3	14	7	7	-	31
Northwestern (6-6, 3-5)	0	3	7	7	-	17

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

MSU (3-0)	Conroy 25-yard field goal, 4:00 left Drive: 13 plays, 72 yards, 5:17

SECOND QUARTER

NU (3-3)	Budzien 34-yard field goal, 14:03 left Drive: 12 plays, 44 yards, 4:57
MSU (10-3)	Bell 7-yard run (Conroy kick), 1:40 left Drive: 8 plays, 97 yards, 3:45
MSU (17-3)	Martin 57-yard punt return (Conroy kick), 0:34 left

THIRD QUARTER

NU (10-17)	Ebert 2-yard pass from Persa (Budzien kick), 13:02 left Drive: 5 plays, 69 yards, 1:58
MSU (24-10)	Cunningham 33-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 7:35 left Drive: 10 plays, 67 yards, 5:27

FOURTH QUARTER

NU (17-24)	Fields 12-yard pass from Persa (Budzien kick), 13:57 left Drive: 8 plays, 65 yards, 3:13
MSU (31-17)	Cunningham 29-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 5:17 left Drive: 9 plays, 93 yards, 5:05

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	NU
First Downs	20	21
Rushes-Yards	36-166	41-117
Passing Yards	214	253
Passes	14-20-1	24-34-0
Total Offense	380	370
Punts-Avg.	4-39.0	4-44.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	8-66	6-70
Possession Time	29:10	30:18

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (YARDS-CARRIES)
MSU: Bell 16-86, Baker 15-47, Cousins 4-25, Martin 1-8; NU: Schmidt 14-39, Green 7-32, Mark 2-20, Colter 4-18, Siemain 1-14, Team 1-(-1), Persa 12-(-5).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
MSU: Cousins 14-20-1-214-2; NU: Persa 23-32-0-245-2; Siemian 1-2-0-8-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Cunningham 6-120, Linthicum 3-31, Bell 3-6, Martin 2-57; NU: Ebert 7-39, Colter 6-44, Fields 4-36, Jones 3-20, Lawrence 2-37, Dunsmore 1-69, Schmidt 1-8.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
MSU: Pickelman 8 (8-0), Robinson 8 (7-1), Bullough 8 (5-3), Norman 7 (5-2), four others with five; NU: Matthews 9 (7-2), Campbell 8 (7-1), McNaul 7 (4-3), Jones 6 (5-1), Peters 6 (5-1).

GAME 13 • NO. 15/12 WISCONSIN 42, NO. 11/9 MICHIGAN STATE 39

Game 13 vs. Wisconsin (Big Ten Championship Game)
Dec. 3, 2011 • Indianapolis, Ind.
Lucas Oil Stadium • Att: 64,152

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Wisconsin (11-2)	21	0	7	14	-	42
Michigan State (10-3)	7	22	7	3	-	39

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) - This time, Wisconsin got the stop it needed against Michigan State - and a big break to wrap up its second-straight Big Ten crown.

Montee Ball scored four touchdowns, including a 7-yard score with 3:45 left in the inaugural conference championship game, giving the 15th-ranked Badgers a 42-39 come-from-behind victory over No. 11 Michigan State.

The Badgers turned the tables on Michigan State (10-3), which won the first meeting in October on a last-second Hail Mary pass.

This time, it was the Badgers who scored late, forced a punt and managed to run out the clock when the Isaiah Lewis was called for running into the kicker, giving the Badgers a first down with 1:37 left in the game and Michigan State out of timeouts.

Ball was spectacular early, topping 100 yards in the first quarter, and efficient late, scoring twice in the fourth quarter to rally the Badgers. His 38 TDs scored this season are one short of Barry Sanders' FBS mark (39).

But Russell Wilson was named the game's MVP after going 17 of 24 for 187 yards with three touchdowns and no interceptions. Wilson also broke an NCAA record by throwing a TD pass on the Badgers' opening possession, giving Wilson 37 consecutive games with a TD pass, one more than Graham Harrell's previous mark at Texas Tech.

Kirk Cousins made most of it work. Only one of his 17 first-half passes hit the ground in the first half, and he wound up 22 of 30 for 281 yards, three touchdowns and one interception.

But it was Dantonio's ability to fool the normally stout Badgers' defense that nearly got the Spartans to Pasadena, Calif.

On fourth-and-1 in the second quarter, he got Wisconsin to bite on a fake pitch and hooked up with a wide open B.J. Cunningham for a 30-yard TD pass to cut the deficit to 21-14.

On its next possession, Michigan State receiver Keith Nichol, who wrestled the Hail Mary pass across the goal line to beat Wisconsin in October, beat the Badgers again. This time, he caught a short pass from Cousins and just before stepping out of bounds lateraled to Cunningham, who ran the final 4 yards for a TD. Michigan State then called for a fake extra point that Brad Sonntag ran in to make it 22-21.

Not enough?

After playing conventional football for most of the next two quarters and still leading 36-34, the Spartans lined up two different players in the Wildcat formation, ran a reverse and drove for a 25-yard field goal to make it 39-34 with 8:31 left in the game.

But just like the first meeting, the Badgers answered.

Wilson led Wisconsin on an eight-play, 64-yard scoring march, converting a fourth-and-6 when Wilson scrambled, threw back across the field and Jeff Duckworth made a spectacular adjustment to haul in a 36-yard pass. On the next play, Ball burst up the middle for a 7-yard TD, his fourth score of the night Wilson scrambled again on the conversion, finding Jacob Pedersen to give Wisconsin a 42-39 lead.

B.J. Cunningham dives for a touchdown in the second quarter of the Big Ten Championship Game against Wisconsin. Cunningham had a career-high three TD receptions in the game and also became MSU's all-time leader in receiving yards on a 44-yard touchdown in the third quarter.

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
WIS (7-0) Duckworth 3-yard pass from Wilson (Welch kick), 10:04 left
Drive: 9 plays, 71 yards, 4:56
MSU (7-7) Baker 8-yard run (Conroy kick), 6:44 left
Drive: 6 plays, 59 yards, 3:13
WIS (14-7) Ball 6-yard run (Welch kick), 3:44 left
Drive: 7 plays, 60 yards, 3:04
WIS (21-7) Ball 6-yard run (Welch kick), 3:12 left
Drive: 2 plays, 24 yards, 0:28

SECOND QUARTER
MSU (14-21) Cunningham 30-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 14:55 left
Drive: 7 plays, 80 yards, 3:17
MSU (22-21) Cunningham 7-yard pass from Cousins (Sonntag rush), 10:21
Drive: 6 plays, 57 yards, 2:42
MSU (29-21) Bell 6-yard run (Conroy kick), 3:26 left
Drive: 8 plays, 84 yards, 3:57

THIRD QUARTER
WIS (28-29) Abbrederis 42-yard pass from Wilson (Welch kick), 9:13 left
Drive: 8 plays, 62 yards, 3:30
MSU (36-28) Cunningham 44-yard pass from Cousins (Conroy kick), 1:41
Drive: 3 plays, 48 yards, 1:41

FOURTH QUARTER
WIS (34-36) Ball 5-yard pass from Wilson (Wilson pass failed) 13:52 left
Drive: 7 plays, 52 yards, 3:07
MSU (39-34) Conroy 25-yard field goal, 8:28 left
Drive: 10 plays, 52 yards, 4:52
WIS (42-39) Ball 7-yard run (Pedersen pass from Wilson), 3:45 left
Drive: 8 plays, 64 yards, 4:35

TEAM STATISTICS	WIS	MSU
First Downs	16	23
Rushes-Yards	37-123	34-190
Passing Yards	219	281
Passes	18-25-0	22-31-1
Total Offense	345	471
Punts-Avg.	5-45.0	3-42.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	5-30	7-50
Possession Time	30:05	29:55

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
WIS: Ball 27-137, Wilson 7-(-5); MSU: Bell 18-106, Baker 9-31, Martin 5-26, Cunningham 1-24, Cousins 1-3.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS-TD)
WIS: Wilson 17-24-0-187-3; MSU: Cousins 22-30-1-281-3.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
WIS: Abbrederis 3-65, Duckworth 3-53, Toon 3-34, Ewing 3-16, Ball 3-7, Wilson 2-31, Pedersen 1-13; MSU: Martin 9-115, Cunningham 5-115, Nichol 4-39, Bell 3-11, Linthicum 1-1.

TACKLES-TOP FIVE (TOTAL-SOLO-ASSISTS)
WIS: Henry 9 (5-4), Johnson 8 (1-7), Taylor 9 (3-6), Borland 7 (3-4), Jean 5 (4-1); MSU: Robinson 12 (7-5), Allen 9 (9-0), Norman 9 (4-5), Dennard 7 (5-2), Bullough 6 (3-3).

OFFENSE

100-YARD RUSHING GAME
Spartans: Le'Veon Bell, 106 yards vs. Wisconsin, Dec. 3, 2011 (WIS 42-39)
Opponent: Montee Ball, Wisconsin, 137 yards, Dec. 3, 2011 (WIS 42-39)

150-YARD RUSHING GAME
Spartans: Edwin Baker, 167 yards vs. Michigan, Oct. 15, 2011 (MSU 28-14)
Opponent: Shonn Greene, Iowa, 157 yards, Oct. 4, 2008 (MSU 16-13)

200-YARD RUSHING GAME
Spartans: Javon Ringer, 201 yards vs. Notre Dame, Sept. 20, 2008 (MSU 23-7)
Opponent: Chris Wells, Ohio State, 221 yards, Oct. 20, 2007 (OSU 24-17)

150 RUSHING YARDS AT HALFTIME
Spartans: Javon Ringer, 160 yards vs. Indiana, Oct. 13, 2007 (MSU 52-27)

30 OR MORE CARRIES
Spartans: Javon Ringer, 32 vs. Purdue, Nov. 8, 2008 (MSU 21-7)
Opponent: Rex Burkhead, Nebraska, 35, Oct. 29, 2011 (NEB 24-3)

40 OR MORE CARRIES
Spartans: Javon Ringer, 44 vs. Indiana, Sept. 27, 2008 (MSU 42-29)

TWO PLAYERS WITH 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES
Spartans: Le'Veon Bell (141 yards) and Edwin Baker (117 yards), vs. Western Michigan, Sept. 4, 2011 (MSU 38-14)
Opponent: John Clay (111 yards) and P.J. Hill (106), Wisconsin, Nov. 1, 2008 (MSU 25-24)

300-YARD PASSING GAME
Spartans: Kirk Cousins, 329 yards (34-for-53) vs. Notre Dame, Sept. 17, 2011 (ND 31-13)
Opponent: Dayne Crist, Notre Dame, 369 yards (32-for-55), Sept. 18, 2010 (MSU 34-31 OT)

400-YARD PASSING GAME
Spartans: Bill Burke, 400 yards vs. Michigan (21-for-36), Oct. 9, 1999 (MSU 34-31)
* School record
Opponent: Adam Weber, Minnesota, 416 yards (19-for-31), Oct. 31, 2009 (MINN 42-34)

500-YARD PASSING GAME
Spartans: Not accomplished.
Opponent: C.J. Bacher, Northwestern, 520 yards (38-for-48), Oct. 6, 2007 (NU 48-41, OT)

TWO PLAYERS WITH 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES
Spartans: B.J. Cunningham, 115 yards (5 catches) and Keshawn Martin, 115 yards (9 catches) vs. Wisconsin, Dec. 3, 2011 (WIS 42-39)
Opponent: Deon Butler, 133 yards (3 catches) and Jordan Norwood, 127 yards (5 catches), Penn State, Nov. 22, 2008 (PSU 49-18)

150-YARD RECEIVING GAME
Spartans: B.J. Cunningham, 154 yards (9 catches) vs. Ohio State, Oct. 1, 2011 (MSU 10-7)
Opponent: Keith Smith, Purdue, 151 yards (15 catches), Nov. 14, 2009 (MSU 40-37)

200-YARD RECEIVING GAME
Spartans: Mark Dell, 202 yards (9 catches) vs. California, Aug. 30, 2008 (CAL 38-31)
Opponent: Lee Evans, Wisconsin, 258 yards (10 catches), Nov. 15, 2003 (WIS 56-21)

10 STRAIGHT COMPLETIONS TO START GAME
Spartans: Brian Hoyer, 10 vs. UAB, Sept. 1, 2007 (MSU 55-18)
Opponent: Jimmy Clausen, Notre Dame, 10, Sept. 19, 2009 (ND 33-30)

10 STRAIGHT COMPLETIONS
Spartans: Kirk Cousins, 11 vs. Notre Dame, Sept. 17, 2011 (ND 31-13)

40 PASS ATTEMPTS
Spartans: Kirk Cousins, 53 vs. Notre Dame (34 completions), Sept. 17, 2011 (ND 31-13)
Opponent: Matt McGloin, Penn State, 43 (23 completions), Nov. 27, 2010 (MSU 28-22)

30 PASS COMPLETIONS
Spartans: Kirk Cousins, 34 vs. Notre Dame (53 attempts), Sept. 17, 2011 (ND 31-13)
Opponent: Dayne Crist, 32, Notre Dame, (55 attempts), Sept. 18, 2010 (MSU 34-31 OT)

SCORED FOUR RUSHING TDS
Spartans: Edwin Baker, four vs. Minnesota (runs of 30, 1, 1 and 1 yard), Nov. 6, 2010 (MSU 31-8)
Opponent: Larry Johnson, Penn State, four (runs of 11, 78, 11, 38 yards), Nov. 23, 2002 (PSU 61-7)

SCORED FOUR RUSHING TDS IN FIRST HALF
Spartans: *Jehuu Caulcrick, four vs. UAB (runs of 5, 1, 42 and 5 yards), Sept. 1, 2007 (MSU 55-18)
* tied school record with Blake Ezor (1989 vs. Northwestern)

SCORED FOUR TDS
Spartans: Edwin Baker, four vs. Minnesota (4 rush), Nov. 6, 2010 (MSU 31-8)
Opponent: Montee Ball, Wisconsin, four (3 rush, 1 receiving), Dec. 3, 2011 (WIS 42-39)

SCORED FIVE TDS
Spartans: Javon Ringer, five vs. Eastern Michigan (5 rush), Sept. 6, 2008 (MSU 42-10)
Opponent: Lee Evans, Wisconsin, five (catches of 9, 75, 18, 70, 18 yards), Nov. 15, 2003 (WIS 56-21)

THREW FOUR TD PASSES
Spartans: Brian Hoyer, four vs. Penn State, Nov. 17, 2007 (MSU 35-31)
Opponent: Dayne Crist, Notre Dame, four, Sept. 18, 2010 (MSU 34-31 OT)

THREW FIVE TD PASSES
Spartans: *Drew Stanton, five vs. Illinois, Sept. 24, 2005 (MSU 61-14)
* School record
Opponent: Adam Weber, Minnesota, five, Oct. 31, 2009 (MINN 42-34)

THREE TD RECEPTIONS
Spartans: Devin Thomas, three vs. Penn State (12, 33, 26 yards from Brian Hoyer), Nov. 17, 2007 (MSU 35-31)
Opponent: Garrett Graham, Wisconsin, three (catches of 15, 6, 23), Sept. 26, 2009 (WIS 38-30)

80-YARD OR LONGER TD RECEPTION
Spartans: Brian Hoyer to Charlie Gantt, 82 yards vs. Indiana, Sept. 27, 2008 (MSU 42-29)
Opponent: Drew Henson to Marcus Knight, Michigan, 81 yards, Oct. 9, 1999 (MSU 34-31)

80-YARD OR LONGER TD RUN
Spartans: Edwin Baker, 80 yards vs. Florida Atlantic, Sept. 11, 2010 (MSU 30-17)
Opponent: Keith Carlos, Purdue, 80 yards, Nov. 20, 2010 (MSU 35-31)

BACK-TO-BACK 200-YARD RUSHING GAMES
Spartans: *Javon Ringer, 2008 (Florida Atlantic and Notre Dame)
* First time accomplished in school history

FIVE STRAIGHT 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES
Spartans: Blake Ezor, 1989

300 ALL-PURPOSE YARDS
Spartans: Javon Ringer, 308 yards vs. Florida Atlantic, Sept. 13, 2008 (MSU 17-0)
Opponent: Chad Owens, Hawaii, 301 yards, Dec. 4, 2004 (UH 41-38)

DID NOT SCORE A TOUCHDOWN
Spartans: at Nebraska, Oct. 29, 2011 (NEB 24-3)
Opponent: Florida Atlantic, Sept. 10, 2011 (MSU 44-0)

DID NOT SCORE AN OFFENSIVE TOUCHDOWN
Spartans: at Nebraska, Oct. 29, 2011 (NEB 24-3)
Opponent: Florida Atlantic, Sept. 10, 2011 (MSU 44-0)

SPECIAL TEAMS

KICKOFF RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN

Spartans: Keshawn Martin, 93 yards, Oct. 31, 2009 (MINN 42-34)
Opponent: George Atkinson III, Notre Dame, 89 yards, Sept. 17, 2011 (ND 31-13)

PUNT RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN

Spartans: Keshawn Martin, 57 yards vs. Northwestern, Nov. 26, 2011 (MSU 31-17)
Opponent: Ted Ginn Jr., Ohio State, 60 yards, Oct. 14, 2006 (OSU 38-7)

BLOCKED PUNT RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN

Spartans: Bennie Fowler, 0 yards (recovered in end zone; blocked by Kyler Elsworth, 36-yard return) vs. Wisconsin, Oct. 22, 2011 (MSU 37-31)
Opponent: Matt Hahn, Penn State, 0 yards (blocked by Donnie Johnson), Nov. 19, 2005 (PSU 31-22)

BLOCKED PUNT

Spartans: Kyler Elsworth vs. Wisconsin, Oct. 22, 2011 (MSU 37-31)
Opponent: C. Michigan blocked Mike Sadler's punt, Sept. 24, 2011 (MSU 45-7)

BLOCKED FIELD GOAL

Spartans: Darqueze Dennard vs. Wisconsin, blocked Philip Welch's 30-yard attempt, Oct. 22, 2011 (MSU 37-31)
Opponent: John Thompson, Michigan, blocked Brett Swenson's 32-yard attempt, Oct. 25, 2008 (MSU 35-21)

DEFENSIVE EXTRA POINT SCORED

Spartans: Ashton Watson, returns blocked PAT, vs. Indiana, Oct. 29, 2005 (MSU 46-15)
Opponent: Not accomplished

INTERCEPTION RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN

Spartans: Johnny Adams, 86 yards vs. Purdue, Nov. 19, 2011 (MSU 55-3)
Opponent: Ricardo Allen, Purdue, 35 yards, Nov. 20, 2010 (MSU 35-31)

FUMBLE RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN

Spartans: Jeremy Langford, 37 yards vs. Florida Atlantic, Sept. 10, 2011 (MSU 44-0)
Opponent: Thaddeus Gibson, Ohio State, 69 yards, Oct. 18, 2008 (OSU 45-7)

70-YARD PUNT

Spartans: Brandon Fields, 73 yards vs. Notre Dame, Sept. 23, 2006 (ND 40-37)
Opponent: Ryan Donahue, Iowa, 82 yards, Oct. 27, 2007

50-YARD FIELD GOAL

Spartans: Dan Conroy, 50 yards vs. Ohio State, Oct. 1, 2011 (MSU 10-7)
Opponent: Mike Nugent, Ohio State, 53 yards, Nov. 6, 2004 (OSU 32-19)

KICKED FOUR FIELD GOALS

Spartans: Dan Conroy, four vs. Illinois (37, 34, 32, 18 yards),Oct. 16, 2010 (MSU 26-6)
Opponent: Mike Nugent, Ohio State, four (44, 24, 42, 18 yards), Nov. 8, 2003 (OSU 33-23)

MISSED EXTRA POINT

Spartans: Dan Conroy vs. Purdue, Nov. 20, 2010 (MSU 35-31)
Opponent: David Brown, Youngstown State, Sept. 2, 2011 (MSU 28-6)

SUCCESSFUL ONSIDE KICK

Spartans: Brett Swenson vs. Notre Dame, Sept. 19, 2009 (ND 33-30)
Opponent: Andrew Aguila, Central Michigan, Sept. 12, 2009 (CMU 29-27)

DEFENSE

HELD TO 15 OR FEWER YARDS RUSHING

Spartans: -48 yards vs. Alabama (28 attempts), Jan. 1, 2011 (BAMA 49-7)
Opponent: 12 yards by UAB (32 carries), Sept. 1, 2007 (MSU 55-18)

HELD TO 50 OR FEWER YARDS RUSHING

Spartans: -48 yards vs. Alabama (28 attempts), Jan. 1, 2011 (BAMA 49-7)
Opponent: 35 yards by Ohio State (39 attempts), Oct. 1, 2011 (MSU 10-7)

HELD TO 10 OR FEWER FIRST DOWNS

Spartans: 9 vs. Ohio State, Oct. 20, 2007 (OSU 24-17)
Opponent: 8 by Central Michigan, Sept. 24, 2011 (MSU 45-7)

HELD TO 100 OR FEWER YARDS PASSING

Spartans: 86 yards vs. Nebraska (11-27), Oct. 29, 2011 (NEB 24-3)
Opponent: 91 yards by Central Michigan (12-33), Sept. 24, 2011 (MSU 45-7)

HELD TO 100 OR FEWER YARDS PASSING BACK-TO-BACK GAMES

Opponent: 85 yards by Pittsburgh (20-9-2), Sept. 15, 2007 (MSU 17-13); 86 yards by Notre Dame (20-11-0), Sept. 22, 2007 (MSU 31-14)

SHUTOUT RECORDED

Spartans: vs. Florida Atlantic (44-0), Sept. 10, 2011
Opponent: by Michigan (14-0), Oct. 21, 2000

SHUTOUT RECORDED IN SPARTAN STADIUM

Spartans: vs. Florida Atlantic (44-0), Sept. 10, 2011
Opponent: by Michigan (31-0), Oct. 12, 1985

SAFETY RECORDED

Spartans: Team safety, vs. Wisconsin, Oct. 22, 2011 (MSU 37-31)
Opponent: Team safety, Indiana, Sept. 27, 2008 (MSU 42-29)

PLAYER HAD THREE SACKS

Spartans: Denicos Allen, three vs. Wisconsin, Dec. 3, 2011 (WIS 42-39)
Opponent: Brandon Graham, Michigan, three, Oct. 25, 2008 (MSU 35-21)

SCORED TWO DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS

Spartans: Two vs. Ohio State (Wiley interception return; Adams fumble return), Oct. 20, 2007 (OSU 24-17)
Opponent: Two by Ohio State (Thaddeus Gibson fumble return; Jermale Hines fumble return), Oct. 18, 2008 (MSU 45-7)

FOUR INTERCEPTIONS

Spartans: Four vs. Central Michigan (Robinson, Lewis, Bullough, Drummond), Sept. 24, 2011 (MSU 45-7)
Opponent: Four by Boston College, Dec. 28, 2007 (BC 24-21)

TEAM/MISCELLANEOUS

BIGGEST COMEBACK

Spartans: *35 points (down 38-3) vs. Northwestern on Oct. 21, 2006, with 38 straight points to win, 41-38.
*NCAA Record

BIGGEST COMEBACK IN DANTONIO ERA

Spartans: 17 points, twice (down 24-7 in third quarter vs. Penn State on Nov. 17, 2007. MSU rallied to win 35-31; down 17-0 in second quarter at Northwestern on Oct. 23, 2010. MSU rallied to win 35-27).

SCORED 40 POINTS IN FIRST HALF

Spartans: *45 points (led 45-3 at half), beat UAB 55-18 on Sept. 1, 2007
* Post-WWII Record.

600 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE

Spartans: 602 vs. Western Michigan, Nov. 7, 2009 (MSU 49-14)
Opponent: 611 yards by Northwestern, Sept. 29, 2007 (NU 48-41, OT)

500 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE

Spartans: 536 vs. Michigan, Oct. 9, 2010 (MSU 34-17)
Opponent: 546 yards, Alabama, Jan. 1, 2011 (BAMA 49-7)

400 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE IN FIRST HALF

Spartans: 438 vs. UAB, Sept. 1, 2007 (MSU 55-18)

300 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE IN FIRST HALF

Spartans: 317 vs. Wisconsin, Dec. 3, 2011 (WIS 42-39)

WON GAME ON FINAL PLAY - REGULATION

Spartans: Keith Nichol, caught 44-yard pass from Kirk Cousins as time expired vs. Wisconsin, Oct. 22, 2011 (MSU 37-31)
Opponent: Marvin McNutt, Iowa, caught 7-yard pass from Ricky Stanzi on fourth-and-goal as time expired, Oct. 24, 2009 (IOWA 15-13)

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FIFTH SEASON

In just five seasons, Mark Dantonio has restored the pride and tradition of Spartan football.

A Zanesville, Ohio, native with Midwest ties, Dantonio has led Michigan State to a school-record five consecutive bowl appearances and back-to-back 10-win seasons for the first time in program history. The Spartans have won 24 Big Ten games the past four seasons, the most of any team in the conference, and claimed a share of the Big Ten Championship in 2010.

Dantonio has 31 years of collegiate coaching experience and will be coaching in his 16th bowl game as the Spartans face No. 18 Georgia in the 2012 Outback Bowl. It will mark Dantonio's third New Year's Day game as a head coach, as he guided MSU to appearances in the 2009 Capital One Bowl against Georgia and the 2011 Capital One Bowl against Alabama.

Dantonio owns a 43-22 record (.662) at Michigan State, which marks the most wins by a Spartan head coach in his first five seasons. He has won at least nine games in a season three times (9 in 2008, school-record 11 in 2010, 10 in 2011), tying him with the most seasons of at least nine wins of any coach in program history; he is also the first Spartan coach to accomplish that feat within his first five years.

MSU has won 21 of its last 26 games, dating back to the beginning of the 2010 season; the 21 wins are the highest two-year total in school history. In addition, the Spartans have been ranked in the USA TODAY Poll for 28 straight weeks, the longest streak for the program since the national newspaper began administering the poll in 1991. MSU also has been ranked in the Bowl Championship Series standings for a school-record 16 consecutive weeks.

Michigan State won the 2011 Big Ten Legends Division title outright with a 7-1 conference record, improving to a league-best 14-2 in Big Ten play the past two seasons. The Spartans came up just short of their first Rose Bowl appearance since 1988, falling to Wisconsin, 42-39, in the inaugural Big Ten Championship Game.

Michigan State defeated five-bowl bound teams, including a victory over the Badgers earlier in the season on Oct. 22 in Spartan Stadium, 37-31, on a last-second, 44-yard touchdown pass from Kirk Cousins to Keith Nichol. MSU also beat No. 11 Michigan for the fourth-straight year on Oct. 15 in Spartan Stadium, 28-14, a first for the program since 1959-62. Other landmark victories included a 10-7 win at Ohio State on Oct. 1, MSU's first win in Ohio Stadium since 1998, and a 37-21 victory at Iowa on Nov. 12, the Spartans' first triumph in Kinnick Stadium since 1989.

The Spartans claimed the Legends Division outright with a 31-17 victory at Northwestern on Nov. 26 and closed the regular season with a 4-0 record in November. Under Dantonio, MSU has compiled a 13-3 record in the month of November, including seven straight wins. Michigan State also went a perfect 7-0 at home for the second straight year, posting back-to-back perfect home seasons for the first time since 1955-56, and extended its home winning streak to 14 games.

Known as one of the top defensive minds in the country, Dantonio and his staff assembled the No. 1 defense in the Big Ten this season, as the Spartans led the conference in rushing defense (104.3 yards per game), total defense (272.7 ypg.), sacks (41), interceptions (16) and third-down defense (.337) through the regular season. In addition, the Spartans rank among the NCAA FBS Top 25 in seven statistical categories, including fourth in sacks, fifth in total defense, ninth in scoring defense (17.5 ppg.) and 10th in pass efficiency defense (110.4 rating).

On the offensive side of the ball, quarterback Kirk Cousins and B.J. Cunningham have re-written the Michigan State record book. Cousins, the winningest quarterback in school history, is MSU's all-time leader in touchdown passes (65) and completions (696) and currently ranks first in completion percentage (.646) and passing efficiency (148.3 rating). He has also set a single-season MSU record with 24 passing TDs in 2011. Cousins' favorite target is Cunningham, who is Michigan State's career leader in both receptions (211) and receiving yards (3,020) and has set a school record with eight 100-yard receiving games this season.

The Spartans were rewarded for their excellent regular season as 19 players received All-Big Ten recognition on the first team, second team or honorable mention, including a school-record 11 on defense. The Spartans had four first-team All-Big Ten selections: cornerback Johnny Adams (coaches), offensive guard Joel Foreman (coaches and media), safety Trenton Robinson (media) and defensive tackle Jerel Worthy (coaches and media).

Worthy also earned consensus first-team All-America honors, marking the fourth-straight year Michigan State has had a consensus first-team All-American (Javon Ringer: 2008; Greg Jones: 2009, 2010), which is a school record.

From his first day on the job, Dantonio has pledged to support student-athletes as they pursue excellence, both in the classroom and on the playing field. In his first five seasons, 67 players have earned their undergraduate degrees. In addition, his players have earned Academic All-Big Ten honors 56 times, including 2009 Academic All-American Blair White (first team) and 2011 Academic All-American Mike Sadler (second team).

Dantonio, who led Michigan State to a school-record 11 wins in 2010 and a share of its first Big Ten Championship since 1990, was named the Dave McClain Big Ten Coach of the Year, as selected by the conference's media panel. A finalist for the Paul "Bear" Bryant, Eddie Robinson and Liberty Mutual National Coach of the Year Awards, Dantonio helped manage the third-biggest turnaround among NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision teams during the regular season, as the Spartans improved from 6-7 in 2009 to 11-1 in 2010. He was also named the AFCA (American Football Coaches Association) Region 3 Coach of the Year, and earned National Coach of the Year honors from CBSSports.com, Scout.com and Rivals.com.

Thanks to its 28-22 victory at Penn State in the regular-season finale, Michigan State recorded its first win in State College since 1965 and finished in a tie with Wisconsin for the 2010 Big Ten Championship. With successive wins over Minnesota, Purdue and Penn State to close out the regular season, the Spartans posted a perfect 3-0 record in November for the first time since 1999.

MSU also dealt Wisconsin its only loss of the 2010 regular season, 34-24, in the Big Ten opener. The Spartans finished the season ranked No. 14 in both The Associated Press and USA TODAY/Coaches' Polls, giving MSU its highest finish in the final polls since 1999. It also marked MSU's second finish in the Top 25 in the past three years (No. 24 in 2008).

A total of 16 Spartans received All-Big Ten recognition on the first team, second team or honorable mention, including senior linebacker Greg Jones, senior punter Aaron Bates, sophomore running back Edwin Baker and sophomore placekicker Dan Conroy, who each earned All-Big Ten first-team honors from the media. One of the top linebackers in school history, Jones was named a first-team consensus All-American for the second-straight season, becoming only the third Spartan to accomplish the feat. He also became just the seventh player in program history to receive first-team All-Big Ten honors three times. Jones (New York Giants) and cornerback Chris L. Rucker (Indianapolis Colts) were selected in the sixth round of the 2011 National Football League Draft.

Led by Jones and one of the most explosive offenses in the Big Ten, the Spartans earned their third consecutive bowl bid in 2009.

A consensus first-team All-American, Jones became the first Spartan to win Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year accolades after recording 154 tackles, finishing first in the conference and third nationally in 2009. He also led the team and ranked among the national leaders in tackles for loss (14 for 69 yards) and sacks (9 for 53 yards). Jones was rated the No. 1 linebacker in the nation by CollegeFootballNews.com and earned the Linebacker Trophy (Linebacker of the Year) by the College Football Performance Awards.

In addition, Worthy was named a Freshman All-American, marking the third-straight year a Spartan landed on a Freshman All-America Team, and cornerback Jeremy Ware was chosen by the Oakland Raiders in the seventh round of the 2010 NFL Draft.

Offensively, Michigan State featured the No. 2 passing attack in the Big Ten, averaging nearly 270 yards per game. The Spartans also finished second in the league in scoring (29.7 points per game) and third in total offense (406.2 ypg.). MSU established a school record with 28 touchdown passes in 2009, and the 3,502 passing yards ranked second in the school record book.

The Spartan passing game was built around wide receiver Blair White, who was a first-team All-Big Ten selection by the coaches while recording career highs in receptions (70), TD catches (9) and receiving yards (990), all of which rank among MSU's Top 10 single-season leaders. MSU's special teams featured the school's all-time leading kicker in Brett Swenson, who scored 377 career points. A first-team All-Big Ten selection and Lou Groza Award semifinalist, Swenson also became MSU's career leader in field goals (71 made) and extra points (164 made) during the 2009 season. He closed out his career ranked among the Big Ten's all-time leaders in kick scoring (second), field goals (tied for third), total points (fourth) and extra points (sixth).

One of 15 semifinalists for the George Munger Coach of the Year Award, Dantonio had a breakthrough season as a head coach in 2008. Under his leadership, the Spartans went 9-3 in the regular season and compiled a 6-2 record in the Big Ten, the best league mark for the program since 1999. Michigan State defeated five bowl-bound teams, with victories over Florida Atlantic, Notre Dame, Iowa, Northwestern and Wisconsin. The Spartans, who made their first New Year's Day Bowl appearance in nine seasons, finished the season ranked No. 24 in both the Associated Press and USA Today Polls.

The Dantonio Family: Becky, Kristen, Lauren and Mark.

THE DANTONIO FILE

PERSONAL DATA: Born Mark Dantonio in El Paso, Texas, on March 9, 1956. Family: wife Becky and two daughters, Kristen and Lauren.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College - Graduate assistant at Ohio U. (1980); graduate assistant at Purdue (1981); defensive coordinator at Butler (Kan.) Junior College (1982); graduate assistant at Ohio State (1983-84); defensive secondary coach at Akron (1985); defensive secondary coach and defensive coordinator at Youngstown State (1986-90); defensive secondary coach at Kansas (1991-94); defensive secondary coach (1995-2000) and associate head coach (2000) at Michigan State; defensive coordinator at Ohio State (2001-03); head coach at Cincinnati (2004-06).

COACHING RECORD: 61-39 (.610) in eight years as a college head coach; 18-17 in three years at Cincinnati (2004-06); 43-22 (.662) in five seasons at Michigan State (2007-).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in education from South Carolina in 1979; master's degree in education from Ohio U. in 1980.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College - Three-year letterman as a defensive back at South Carolina (1976-78).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach - 1987 NCAA I-AA playoffs, 1989 NCAA I-AA playoffs, 1990 NCAA I-AA playoffs, 1983 Fiesta Bowl, 1984 Rose Bowl, 1992 Aloha Bowl, 1995 Independence Bowl, 1996 Sun Bowl, 1997 Aloha Bowl, 2000 Florida Citrus Bowl, 2002 Outback Bowl, 2003 Fiesta Bowl, 2004 Fiesta Bowl, 2004 Fort Worth Bowl, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

Dantonio's Career Record - Head Coach

		Overall			*Conference*				
Year	*School*	*W*	*L*	*Pct.*	*W*	*L*	*Pct.*	*Finish*	*Postseason/Bowl*
2004	Cincinnati	7	5	.583	5	3	.625	T-2nd (C-USA)	Fort Worth Bowl
2005	Cincinnati	4	7	.364	2	5	.286	T-6th (Big East)	-
2006	Cincinnati	7	5	.583	4	3	.571	T-7th (Big East)	International Bowl*
2007	Michigan State	7	6	.538	3	5	.375	T-7th (Big Ten)	Champs Sports Bowl
2008	Michigan State	9	4	.692	6	2	.750	3rd (Big Ten)	Capital One Bowl
2009	Michigan State	6	7	.462	4	4	.500	T-6th (Big Ten)	Alamo Bowl
2010	Michigan State	11	2	.846	7	1	.875	T-1st (Big Ten)	Capital One Bowl
2011	Michigan State	10	3	.769	7	1	.875	1st (Big Ten Legends)	Outback Bowl
Totals		61	39	.610	38	24	.613		Seven Bowl Games*

** Did not coach Cincinnati in bowl game*

Three Michigan State players were named first-team All-Big Ten by the league's head coaches: senior running back Javon Ringer, senior safety Otis Wiley and Jones. A total of 15 Spartans received All-Big Ten recognition on the first team, second team or honorable mention.

Ringer became MSU's first consensus All-American since 2004, earning first-team accolades from Walter Camp and the Associated Press. The Doak Walker Award finalist had one of the finest seasons in Spartan history, scoring a school-record 22 touchdowns and rushing for 1,637 yards, which ranked second in the school record books. Ringer was selected by the Tennessee Titans in the fifth round of the 2009 NFL Draft.

In his first season as head coach at Michigan State, Dantonio sparked a three-game turnaround as the Spartans finished the 2007 regular season with a 7-5 record, securing the program's first bowl bid in four years with a berth against Boston College in the Champs Sports Bowl in Orlando, Fla. Dantonio became just the third first-year coach in Michigan State history to earn a postseason bowl bid, joining Saban (1995 Independence Bowl vs. LSU) and John L. Smith (2003 Alamo Bowl vs. Nebraska).

Michigan State (7-6 overall) produced seven victories despite playing one of the nation's most demanding schedules, as the Spartans' 2007 opponents had a combined record of 75-57 (.568) during the regular season. The Spartans went 4-3 in games played against bowl-bound teams in 2007. Michigan State lost six games by a combined total of 31 points, including two in overtime (Northwestern and Iowa). All six games were decided by seven points or less.

Michigan State finished the year strong, winning its final two games of the regular season for the first time since 1999 with victories at Purdue and over Penn State, both bowl-bound teams. Dantonio became the first coach in Spartan history to begin his initial season 4-0, as Michigan State opened the 2007 campaign with wins over UAB, Bowling Green, Pittsburgh and Notre Dame. With the 31-14 victory over the Irish, the Spartans became the first opponent to win six-straight games in the 77-year history of Notre Dame Stadium.

In 2007, Michigan State featured one of the Big Ten's most prolific offensive attacks. The Spartans ranked second in the conference in scoring offense (33.1 points per game), third in rushing offense (198.2 yards per game) and fourth in total offense (416.8 ypg.). Michigan State also was listed among the NCAA's top 30 in rushing offense (No. 25) and scoring offense (No. 29). The Spartans scored a school single-season record 430 points and produced Top 10 single-season totals in six other offensive categories.

Michigan State also displayed dramatic improvement on the defensive side of the football in 2007. The Spartans ranked fourth in the Big Ten and No. 30 nationally in rushing defense, allowing just 125.9 ypg. Michigan State held four opponents under 50 yards rushing (UAB, Bowling Green, Indiana and Boston College). After finishing eighth in the Big Ten and No. 88 nationally in total defense in 2006, the Spartans improved to fourth in the league and No. 32 in the NCAA, allowing 345.5 ypg.

Three Spartans from the 2007 team were selected in the 2008 NFL Draft: wide receiver Devin Thomas (Washington Redskins, second round), tight end Kellen Davis (Chicago Bears, fifth round) and defensive end Ervin Baldwin (Chicago Bears, seventh round).

Dantonio, who served as head coach at Cincinnati for three seasons prior to his return to East Lansing, became Michigan State University's 24th head football coach on Nov. 27, 2006. He previously spent six years as an assistant coach at Michigan State from 1995-2000. In eight seasons as a head coach, Dantonio has collected a 61-39 record (.610), including seven bowl invitations.

The 55-year old Dantonio established himself as one of the nation's up-and-coming coaches during his three-year tenure at Cincinnati, where he compiled an 18-17 overall record and led the program in its transition from Conference USA to the BIG EAST Conference.

In 2006, Dantonio led the Bearcats to a 7-5 overall record and a 4-3 BIG EAST mark, making Cincinnati bowl eligible for the second time in three years. Dantonio accomplished the feat against the second-toughest schedule in the country, as UC's opponents compiled a 69-42 record.

Danonio became only the second head coach in Cincinnati history (along with Sid Gillman) to take the Bearcats to a bowl game in his first season in 2004. The Bearcats' went 7-5 in 2004, including a 5-3 mark in Conference USA, and defeated Marshall (32-14) in the Fort Worth Bowl.

Prior to his appointment at Cincinnati, Dantonio served as the defensive coordinator under Jim Tressel at Ohio State for three seasons, where his defensive unit helped the Buckeyes to a combined record of 32-6. Dantonio assembled the defense which led Ohio State to the 2002 National Championship, as the Buckeyes ranked second in the NCAA in scoring defense (13.1 ppg) and third in rushing defense (77.7 ypg.).

Dantonio spent six years (1995-2000) as Michigan State's secondary coach, including five seasons under Nick Saban and one under Bobby Williams. He was promoted to associate head coach in 2000. During his six-year tenure as an assistant, the Spartans compiled a 39-30-1 record.

Under his supervision, the Spartan secondary ranked among the NCAA leaders in pass efficiency defense three of his last four years, finishing No. 10 (101.6) in 1998, No. 16 (103.9) in 1997 and No. 22 (104.5) in 2000.

Dantonio contributed to Michigan State's successful 1999 season, during which the Spartans went 10-2, won the Florida Citrus Bowl, led the Big Ten in total defense and ranked No. 7 in the final polls. He tutored cornerback Amp Campbell, who earned third-team All-America honors from the Associated Press.

Dantonio came to Michigan State following four seasons under Glen Mason at Kansas (1991-94) where he coached the defensive secondary. He previously spent five years at Youngstown State under Tressel, helping the Penguins to three trips to the NCAA I-AA playoffs.

His coaching credits also including stops at Akron (defensive secondary, 1985), Ohio State (graduate assistant, 1983-84), Butler (Kan.) Junior College (defensive coordinator, 1982), Purdue (graduate assistant, 1981) and Ohio University (graduate assistant, 1980). During his stint as a graduate assistant under Earle Bruce at Ohio State, the Buckeyes played in the 1983 Fiesta and 1984 Rose Bowls.

Dantonio earned three letters as a defensive back for Coach Jim Carlen at South Carolina (1976-78). He earned a bachelor's degree in education from South Carolina in 1979. Dantonio later earned a master's degree in education from Ohio U. in 1980.

PAT NARDUZZI
DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR
FIFTH SEASON

In his fifth season as defensive coordinator, Pat Narduzzi's unit in 2011 is having its best showing since his arrival in East Lansing.

Michigan State leads the Big Ten in rushing defense (104.3 yards per game), total defense (272.7 ypg.), sacks (41), interceptions (16) and third-down defense (.337). In addition, the Spartans rank among the conference leaders in passing efficiency defense (second with a 110.4 rating), turnover margin (second at +0.54 per game), takeaways (third with 22), red-zone defense (third at .771), passing defense (fourth at 168.4 ypg.) and scoring defense (fourth at 17.5 points per game).

MSU also ranks among the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision Top 25 in seven statistical categories: fourth in sacks, fifth in total defense, ninth in scoring defense, 10th in pass efficiency defense, 11th in pass defense, 12th in rushing defense and 22nd in turnover margin. The Spartans have held five teams to their season lows in total offense (Florida Atlantic, Central Michigan, Ohio State, Michigan, Indiana) and on five occasions, MSU has limited their opponent to seven points or less.

The foundation of Michigan State's defense is stopping the run, and Narduzzi's unit once again proved it could stop the rush in 2011, ranking first in the Big Ten and 12th in the nation, allowing just 104.3 yards per game. Four teams (FAU, CMU, Ohio State, Michigan) have posted their season lows in rushing against the Spartans, and MSU has held six opponents to under-100 yards rushing. MSU will likely finish in the top 30 nationally in rushing defense for the third time in the past five seasons (30th in 2007; 24th in 2009).

Every single MSU starter on defense - which featured only two seniors - received All-Big Ten recognition, either on the first team, second team, or honorable mention, establishing a school record. Three players earned first-team All-Big Ten honors, including junior defensive tackle Jerel Worthy, who also garnered consensus first-team All-America accolades. Worthy is the third Spartan to be named an All-American under Narduzzi, joining Jonal Saint-Dic (2007) and Greg Jones (2009-10).

Senior safety Trenton Robinson (media), who tied for the Big Ten lead with four interceptions, and junior cornerback Johnny Adams (coaches), who leads MSU with nine passes defended, were also named to the first team. During Narduzzi's five years at MSU, his players have earned All-Big Ten honors 41 times, including six different first-team selections.

In addition to the three first-team selections, eight more Spartan defenders received All-Big Ten recognition on either the second team or honorable mention. Sophomore defensive lineman William Gholston and sophomore safety Isaiah Lewis were named to the second team by the coaches and the media, sophomore linebacker Max Bullough picked up second-team honors from the coaches, and sophomore linebacker Denicos Allen garnered second-team accolades from the media. Sophomore cornerback Darqueze Dennard, junior linebacker Chris Norman, senior defensive tackle Kevin Pickelman and red-shirt freshman defensive lineman Marcus Rush all earned honorable mention.

For the second year in a row, Narduzzi was named the National Coordinator of the Week by Rivals.com following Michigan State's victory over Michigan. The Spartans held Michigan to season lows in total offense (250 yards), rushing (82 yards) and points (14) in 2011.

For Narduzzi's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE NARDUZZI FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Fifth. Joined staff on Dec. 6, 2006, from Cincinnati.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College - Graduate assistant coach (1990-91) and receivers coach (1992) at Miami-Ohio; linebackers (1993-97) and defensive coordinator (1998-99) at Rhode Island; linebackers coach at Northern Illinois (2000-02); defensive coordinator at Miami-Ohio (2003); defensive coordinator at Cincinnati (2004-06).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in physical education from Rhode Island in 1990; master's degree in sports psychology from Miami-Ohio in 1992.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College - Three-year starter at linebacker at Rhode Island (1987-89); one year at linebacker at Youngstown State (1985).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach - 2003 GMAC Bowl, 2004 Fort Worth Bowl, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

DAN ROUSHAR
OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR/
TIGHT ENDS
FIFTH SEASON

Dan Roushar is in his fifth year on the staff at Michigan State and his first as offensive coordinator. He also coaches the tight ends.

A 27-year coaching veteran, this marks the fifth time that Roushar has been an offensive coordinator in his career. Roushar most recently served as offensive coordinator at Illinois during the 2004 season, and has also directed offenses at Northern Illinois (1998-2002), Ball State (1994) and Butler (1989-92).

Under Roushar's direction, Michigan State's offense this season has been one of the highest scoring in school history. The Spartans are averaging 30.8 points per game, good for third in the Big Ten and currently the ninth-highest average in an MSU season, and could set a single-season record for most points scored. MSU has put up 401 points on the scoreboard this season - third most in the 115 years of Spartan football - and are 29 points away from tying the record of 430 set in 2007.

The passing game, ranked second in the Big Ten, is led by fifth-year senior Kirk Cousins, who is the winningest quarterback in school history. In his final season wearing the Green and White, Cousins is having his best year, setting an MSU record with 24 passing TDs while throwing for a career-high 3,016 yards. Cousins is also the school-record holder for career touchdown passes (65), pass completions (696), completion percentage (.646) and passing efficiency (148.3 rating).

Senior wide receiver B.J. Cunningham, a second-team All-Big Ten selection by the coaches and media, has also set school records this season, becoming the program's all-time leader in receptions (211) and receiving yards (3,020). Cunningham has had more 100-yard receiving games this season (8) than any Spartan in history and is just eight catches away from tying the single-season MSU record.

A total of seven Spartans on offense received All-Big Ten recognition, including senior left guard Joel Foreman (first team), who became the first MSU offensive lineman to garner first-team all-conference honors since 2004. Cousins (coaches), Cunningham (coaches and media) and senior tight end Brian Linthicum (coaches) garnered second-team accolades, while senior wide receiver Keshawn Martin, junior right guard Chris McDonald and sophomore running back Le'Veon Bell earned honorable mention.

Linthicum leads all Spartan tight ends with 24 catches for 249 yards, sophomore Dion Sims ranks third on the team with three touchdown receptions, and fifth-year senior Garrett Celek has proven all season long to be one of the team's leading blockers.

In his four seasons coaching the offensive line at Michigan State (2007-10), Roushar's linemen earned All-Big Ten recognition on eight occasions.

Roushar arrived in East Lansing after serving as offensive line coach under Dantonio at Cincinnati for two seasons (2005-06).

Prior to joining the Cincinnati coaching staff, he worked with the running backs at Illinois for two seasons (2003-04), adding the duties of offensive coordinator in 2004.

Roushar spent six years as offensive line coach at Northern Illinois (1997-2002), where he also served as the offensive coordinator for the final five seasons.

Roushar also has made coaching stops at Butler (1986-92), Rhode Island (1993) and Ball State (1994), where he also served as offensive coordinator.

For Roushar's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE ROUSHAR FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Fifth. Joined staff on Nov. 30, 2006, from Cincinnati.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College – Offensive backfield coach (1986-88) and offensive coordinator/offensive line coach (1989-92) at Butler; offensive line coach at Rhode Island (1993); offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach at Ball State (1994); quarterbacks coach (1995) and offensive tackle/tight ends coach (1996) at Illinois; offensive line coach (1997) and offensive coordinator/offensive line coach (1998-2002) at Northern Illinois; running backs coach (2003) and offensive coordinator/running backs coach (2004) at Illinois; offensive line coach at Cincinnati (2005-06).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in physical education from Northern Illinois in 1984.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College – Two-year letterwinner as a quarterback at Northern Illinois (1981-82).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach – 1988 NCAA Division II Playoffs, 1991 NCAA Division II Playoffs, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

HARLON BARNETT
SECONDARY
FIFTH SEASON

Harlon Barnett, a four-year letterwinner at Michigan State (1986-89) as a defensive back who was named a captain as a senior, is in his fifth season as the Spartans' secondary coach. Barnett returned to East Lansing with seven years of professional playing experience and nine seasons of coaching experience under his belt.

Barnett has mentored one of the top secondaries in the nation this season, as MSU leads the Big Ten with 16 interceptions and ranks 10th in the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision in pass efficiency defense (110.4 rating) and 11th in passing defense (168.4 ypg.). The Spartans also rank second in the Big Ten in passes defended (56) and pass break-ups (40).

For the second straight year, all four of MSU's starters in the secondary garnered All-Big Ten recognition. Senior safety Trenton Robinson, a second-team all-conference selection last season, earned first-team honors from the media in 2011 after finishing the regular season tied for first in the Big Ten with four interceptions. Junior cornerback Johnny Adams, also a second-team pick by the coaches as a sophomore, raised his game even more to garner first-team accolades. Adams leads the team with nine passes defended (three interceptions, six pass break-ups) and ranks fifth in the FBS with 141 interception return yards.

The Spartans returned three interceptions for touchdowns this season, including two by second-team All-Big Ten selection Isaiah Lewis. Lewis, who is also tied for the Big Ten lead with four picks, had a TD return of 37 yards against Central Michigan and sealed the win over Michigan with a 39-yard runback for a score in the fourth quarter.

Although he missed three games due to injury, talented sophomore cornerback Darqueze Dennard still garnered honorable mention All-Big Ten by the media.

Barnett's players have earned All-Big Ten honors 13 times since his arrival as secondary coach at MSU, including three first-team selections (Robinson, Adams and Otis Wiley in 2008). In addition, Jeremy Ware was selected in the seventh round of the 2010 NFL Draft by Oakland, and Chris L. Rucker was chosen by Indianapolis in the sixth round of the 2011 NFL Draft.

Barnett spent three seasons as secondary coach on Mark Dantonio's staff at Cincinnati. Barnett landed his first collegiate coaching job as a graduate assistant at LSU in 2003 under Nick Saban, where he was a part of the Tigers' National Championship campaign. He began his coaching career at Princeton High School in Cincinnati, where he spent two seasons as the secondary coach (1998-99) and three years as the defensive coordinator (2000-02).

A native of Cincinnati, Barnett was a three-year starter for Coach George Perles at Michigan State. He was a member of the 1987 Big Ten and 1988 Rose Bowl championship team that went 9-2-1 overall and finished eighth in the final polls. Barnett, who also played in the 1989 Gator Bowl and the 1989 Aloha Bowl during his time as a Spartan player, earned first-team All-America recognition by The Sporting News as a senior in 1989.

Following his impressive career at Michigan State, Barnett was taken in the fourth round of the 1990 NFL Draft by the Cleveland Browns, where he played for three seasons (1990-92). He spent two seasons at New England (1993-94) and two more with Minnesota (1995-96).

For Barnett's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE BARNETT FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Fifth. Joined staff on Dec. 1, 2006, from Cincinnati.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College - Graduate assistant coach at LSU (2003); secondary coach at Cincinnati (2004-06).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in communication from Michigan State in 1990.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College - Four-year letterwinner as a defensive back at Michigan State (1986-89) and named captain as a senior. Professional - Spent seven seasons in the National Football League, including stints with the Cleveland Browns (1990-92), New England Patriots (1993-94) and Minnesota Vikings (1995-96).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Player - 1985 All-American Bowl, 1988 Rose Bowl, 1989 Gator Bowl, 1989 Aloha Bowl, 1994 NFL Playoffs, 1996 NFL Playoffs. Coach - 2004 Sugar Bowl, 2004 Fort Worth Bowl, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

TED GILL
DEFENSIVE LINE
FIFTH SEASON

In his five years as the defensive line coach at Michigan State, Ted Gill has continued his career-long trend of developing productive and impactful players.

Gill molded a young line this fall that featured only one senior to help the Spartans lead the Big Ten in rushing defense (104.3 yards per game), total defense (272.7 ypg.), sacks (41) and third-down defense (.337). In addition, MSU ranks among rank the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision Top 25 in seven statistical categories, including sacks (fourth), total defense (fifth), scoring defense (ninth) and rushing defense (12th).

The line has been instrumental in stopping the run, as four teams (FAU, CMU, Ohio State, Michigan) have posted their season lows in rushing against the Spartans. MSU, which has also held six opponents to under-100 yards rushing, will likely finish in the top 30 nationally in rushing defense for the third time in the past five seasons (30th in 2007; 24th in 2009).

Junior defensive tackle Jerel Worthy earned consensus first-team All-America honors to become MSU's first All-American at the position since 1971. Worthy, whose presence in the middle has been one of the main factors for MSU's stout defense, also earned first-team All-Big Ten accolodes from the coaches and media. He is the second Spartan to be named an All-American under Gill (Jonal Saint-Dic: 2007).

Sophomore defensive end William Gholston, in his first year as a starter, has developed into one of the Big Ten's top players on the defensive line. The second-team All-Big Ten selection ranks second on the team and 11th in the Big Ten with 11.0 tackles for loss and compiled 29 tackles in a two-game span against Nebraska (career-high 15 tackles) and Minnesota (14).

Opposite of Gholston, red-shirt freshman Marcus Rush was named the Big Ten Freshman Defensive MVP by ESPN.com and was also named a Sporting News first-team Freshman All-American. Rush, an honorable mention All-Big Ten pick, ranks first among freshmen in the conference in tackles for loss (10.0 for 41 yards) and sacks (4.0 for 23 yards) and also has 51 tackles.

Before suffering a season-ending knee injury in the Big Ten Championship Game, senior defensive tackle Kevin Pickelman, an honorable mention All-Big Ten choice by the media, was having his best year as a Spartan, recording career highs in tackles (37), tackles for loss (7.5 for 39 yards) and sacks (4.0 for 31 yards).

Spartan defensive linemen have garnered All-Big Ten recognition 10 times during Gill's tenure. In addition, Ogemdi Nwagbuo, who Gill mentored in 2007, is in his third season playing in the NFL.

Gill arrived in East Lansing with 32 years of coaching experience, including four seasons as the defensive line coach at Cincinnati (2003-06).

For Gill's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE GILL FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Fifth. Joined staff on Nov. 30, 2006, from Cincinnati.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College – Graduate assistant coach at Idaho State (1971-73); offensive line coach at Utah (1974-76); defensive line coach at New Mexico State (1977); defensive coordinator and defensive line coach at Ball State (1978-81); defensive coordinator at Cornell (1982); defensive line and linebackers coach at Army (1983); defensive line and linebackers coach at North Carolina (1984-87); defensive line coach at Rice (1988-89); defensive line and linebackers coach at Iowa (1990-94); defensive coordinator at Oklahoma State (1995); defensive line coach at Cincinnati (2003-06). Professional – Defensive line coach at NFL's Carolina Panthers (1996-98); defensive line coach at XFL's Los Angeles Extreme (2001); defensive coordinator at CFL's Montreal Alouettes (2002).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in education from Idaho State in 1973.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College – Two-year letterwinner as a linebacker and nose tackle at Idaho State (1968-69).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach – 1986 Aloha, 1991 Rose, 1991 Holiday, 1993 Alamo, 2004 Fort Worth, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

BRAD SALEM
RUNNING BACKS
SECOND SEASON

Brad Salem, a former head coach at NCAA Division II Augustana College in Sioux Falls, S.D., is in his second year as running backs coach at Michigan State and his first as recruiting coordinator.

Salem mentors one of the most talented backfields in the Big Ten, as junior Edwin Baker and sophomore Le'Veon Bell have combined for 1,555 rushing yards (119.6 yards per game) - the second most of any running back duo in the conference - to go along with 16 rushing touchdowns.

After earning Big Ten All-Freshman honors last season, Bell has had a breakout season in 2011, leading the team in rushing touchdowns (11) and rushing (900 yards; 69.2 ypg.); those marks rank fifth and ninth in the Big Ten, respectively. Through two seasons, Bell has accounted for 1,505 rushing yards and 19 touchdowns, and his 5.53 rushing average is currently ninth best in MSU history.

A first-team All-Big Ten selection by the media as a sophomore, Baker led MSU with a season-high 167 yards rushing in the Spartans' fourth-straight win over Michigan. He finished the regular season with 655 rushing yards (50.4 ypg.) and is 13th all-time in the Spartan record book in rushing yards (2,283) and carries (456).

Junior Larry Caper, the team's leading rusher in 2009, was also a regular in the playing rotation.

Under Salem's direction in his first season in 2010, Michigan State's running backs improved their totals from 2009. The resurgent running game was led by Baker, who became just the sixth sophomore in MSU history to reach the 1,000-yard milestone as he compiled 1,201 rushing yards. In addition, he ranked fourth in the Big Ten and 30th nationally in rushing, averaging 92.4 ypg., and led the team and ranked seventh in the conference with 13 rushing touchdowns.

In five seasons (2005-09) as head coach at Augustana College, Salem compiled a 31-26 record.

Salem led Augustana College to back-to-back 8-4 records and consecutive trips to the Mineral Water Bowl in 2008-09. The eight wins matched the school single-season record. In its first two seasons as members of the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference, Augustana finished fourth and tied for third, respectively, in the final standings and had 10 players earn South Division first-team all-conference honors.

After getting off to a 3-0 start in 2009, the Vikings made their first appearance in the American Football Coaches Association Division II Top 25 since 1989. Augustana finished fifth in the NSIC in total offense last season, averaging 400.9 yards per game.

In 2008, Augustana won six of its last eight games, including a 37-16 victory over Missouri Western State in the Mineral Water Bowl in Excelsior Springs, Mo., as the Vikings rushed for 281 yards and five touchdowns against the Griffons.

In his first season as head coach in 2005, Salem guided Augustana to a 6-5 record - the program's first winning season in three years.

Prior to being promoted to head coach, he spent two seasons as an assistant coach under Jim Heinitz, serving as quarterbacks coach in 2003 and offensive coordinator in 2004.

For Salem's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE SALEM FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Second. Joined staff on Feb. 19, 2010, from Augustana (S.D.) College.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College - Graduate assistant coach at Michigan State (1994-95); offensive and recruiting coordinator at Luther (Iowa) College (1997-98); passing game and recruiting coordinator at South Dakota (1999-2001); quarterbacks coach at Augustana College (2003); offensive coordinator at Augustana College (2004); head coach at Augustana College (2005-09).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in mathematics from Augustana College in 1992; master's degree in athletic administration from Michigan State in 1996.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College - Quarterback at Northern Arizona (1988-89); quarterback and wide receiver at Augustana (1990-92).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach - 1995 Independence Bowl, 2008 Mineral Water Bowl, 2009 Mineral Water Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

TERRENCE SAMUEL
WIDE RECEIVERS
FIRST SEASON

Terrence Samuel, a 13-year coaching veteran who played his collegiate football at Purdue, is in his first year as wide receivers coach at Michigan State. Samuel spent the 2010 season at Central Michigan under former Spartan quarterback and assistant coach Dan Enos.

In just his first season, Samuel has made an immediate impact at MSU. He has helped tutor fifth-year senior B.J. Cunningham, who is the school's all-time leader in receptions (211) and receiving yards (3,020). Under Samuel, Cunningham is having his finest season as a Spartan, setting career highs in receptions (72), receiving yards (1,240) and touchdown catches (12). He has also set an MSU single-season record with eight 100-yard receiving games and needs just seven catches to tie MSU's record for most receptions in a season. Cunningham was a second-team All-Big Ten selection by the coaches and media, and also earned All-America honors from Phil Steele (fourth team) and SI.com (honorable mention).

Senior Keshawn Martin, an honorable mention All-Big Ten pick, is also producing his best year, recording career highs in receptions (62) and receiving yards (742).

Cunningham (72 catches) and Martin (62) have combined for 134 receptions in 2011, the most ever by a receiving duo in a Michigan State season (previous record: 124 by Charles Rogers (67) and Herb Haygood (57) in 2001). Cunningham (1,240 yards) and Martin (742) are also just 4 yards away from producing the most receiving yards of any receiving duo in an MSU season. Cunningham and Martin have teamed up for 1,982 receiving yards in 2011; Plaxico Burress (1,142) and Gari Scott (843) had 1,985 receiving yards in 1998.

Both of those marks by Cunningham and Martin (134 receptions; 1,982 receiving yards) rank first among receiving duos in the Big Ten this season.

During his only season at Central Michigan, Samuel mentored Cody Wilson, who posted one of the top individual receiving seasons in school history. Wilson caught 83 passes for 1,137 yards and five touchdowns, recording just the sixth individual 1,000-yard receiving season in school history. His 83 receptions rank fifth in school history for a single season, while his 1,137 yards rank third.

Prior to his stop in Mount Pleasant, Samuel coached receivers at North Dakota State for two seasons (2008-09). In 2008, he worked directly with Kole Heckendorf, who spent the 2009 season with the Detroit Lions.

Samuel arrived at North Dakota State after making a second stop at Nebraska-Omaha. He was the offensive coordinator and running backs coach at Nebraska-Omaha in 2007, helping lead the Mavericks to a 10-1 overall record and North Central Conference championship.

Samuel coached receivers at Southeast Missouri State in 2006 following his original three-year stint at Nebraska-Omaha. He coached defensive backs at Nebraska-Omaha in 2003 and 2004, then assumed the duties of special teams coordinator and outside linebackers coach in 2005.

For Samuel's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE SAMUEL FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: First. Joined staff on Feb. 11, 2011, from Central Michigan.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College – Graduate assistant coach at Nebraska-Omaha (1998-2000); graduate assistant coach at Arizona (2001-02); defensive backs coach (2003-04) and outside linebackers coach/special teams coordinator (2005) at Nebraska-Omaha; wide receivers at Southeast Missouri State (2006); the offensive coordinator and running backs coach at Nebraska-Omaha (2007); wide receivers coach at North Dakota State (2008-09); wide receivers coach at Central Michigan (2010).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in communication and psychology from Purdue in 1995; master's degree in recreation administration from Nebraska-Omaha in 2001.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College - Four-year letterwinner as a wide receiver at Purdue (1991-94).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach – 2000 NCAA Division II Playoffs, 2005 NCAA Division II Playoffs, 2007 NCAA Division II Playoffs, 2012 Outback Bowl.

MARK STATEN
OFFENSIVE LINE
FIFTH SEASON

Mark Staten is in his fifth year on the coaching staff at Michigan State and his first as the offensive line coach. He was promoted to offensive line coach in February after serving as the tight ends/tackles coach and recruiting coordinator the past four years. Staten adds a mix of professional playing experience with a solid coaching background.

Heading into the season, Michigan State's offensive line had to replace three starters, but Staten has helped mold a young group that features just one senior starter into one of the best in the Big Ten. Although the Spartans have had to use four different starting combinations on the offensive line, including three different starting centers, the unit has allowed just 15 sacks, tied for second-fewest in the Big Ten and seventh-fewest in the FBS.

Fifth-year senior Joel Foreman, who anchors the line from left guard, garnered first-team All-Big Ten honors by the coaches and media to become MSU's first All-Big Ten first-team selection on the offensive line since 2004. Foreman has also received national recognition, getting named on All-America teams by Yahoo! Sports (second team), Phil Steele (third team) and SI.com (honorable mention). He has started more games (48) on the offensive line than any other Spartan in school history.

A starter at right guard every game the past two seasons, right guard Chris McDonald earned honorable mention All-Big Ten accolades by the media.

Center Travis Jackson started nine of the last 10 games at center after missing the first three games with an ankle injury and went on to earn Freshman All-America honors from Phil Steele (first team) and CollegeFootballNews.com (second team). He was also named to the Big Ten All-Freshman Team by ESPN.com, Yahoo! Sports and BTN.com.

Staten was instrumental in Dan France's successful move from the defensive line to starting left tackle and Fou Fonoti's transition from junior college to starting right tackle. Both were first-time starters on the offensive line this season for the Spartans.

As tight ends/tackles coach, Staten's players collected All-Big Ten honors on seven occasions, including second-team tackle Pete Clifford (2007), second-team tackle Jesse Miller (2008), second-team tight end Charlie Gantt (2010) and second-team tackle D.J. Young (2010). In addition, Staten also helped Kellen Davis have his most productive year as a Spartan in 2007. Davis, a fifth-round NFL Draft pick by the Chicago Bears, recorded career highs in receptions (32), receiving yards (513) and touchdowns (6) as a senior, and is currently in his fourth season playing for the Bears.

The Spartans had a tight end earn postseason recognition from the Big Ten all four years under Staten, and three of those years a tackle on the offensive line garnered conference honors.

As recruiting coordinator, Staten helped put together a 2009 recruiting class that analysts ranked among the nation's Top 25 (MaxPreps/Tom Lemming No. 12, PrepStar No. 15, Rivals.com No. 17 and Scouts, Inc. No. 21). The Spartans followed that effort with another stellar class in 2010 that was ranked among the nation's Top 30 (MaxPreps/Tom Lemming No. 22, Rivals.com No. 29).

Following the 2006 regular season, Staten was one of eight assistant coaches to follow head coach Mark Dantonio from Cincinnati to East Lansing. In 2006, Staten tutored team MVP Brent Celek, who set Cincinnati career records for receptions (88), receiving yards (1,114) and touchdowns (14) by a tight end. Celek, a second-team All-BIG EAST selection as a senior, was chosen by Philadelphia in the fifth round of the 2007 NFL Draft and is currently in his fifth season playing for the Eagles.

For Staten's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE STATEN FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Fifth. Joined staff on Nov. 30, 2006, from Cincinnati.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College – Graduate assistant coach at Miami-Ohio (2001); graduate assistant coach at Ohio State (2002-03); tight ends/tackles and recruiting coordinator at Cincinnati (2004-06).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in elementary education from Miami-Ohio in 2001.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College – Four-year starter as a defensive tackle at Miami-Ohio (1989-92). Professional – Spent parts of two seasons in the National Football League, with the Cincinnati Bengals (1993) and New England Patriots (1993-94).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach – 2003 Fiesta, 2004 Fiesta, 2004 Fort Worth, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

MIKE TRESSEL
LINEBACKERS
FIFTH SEASON

Mike Tressel is in his fifth year as the linebackers and special teams coach at Michigan State.

The impressive play of the linebacking unit has been one of the main reasons why Michigan State leads the Big Ten in rushing defense (104.3 yards per game), total defense (272.7 ypg.) and sacks (41) this season.

For the first time since 1990, all three of MSU's starting linebackers garnered All-Big Ten honors. Sophomore Denicos Allen, who ranks second in the Big Ten in sacks with 10.0 and fourth in tackles for loss with 17.5, was named second-team all-conference by the media. Sophomore middle linebacker Max Bullough picked up second-team accolades from the coaches after leading the Spartans in the regular season with 86 tackles and junior Chris Norman was named honorable mention after recording career highs in tackles (71) and tackles for loss (5.0).

Tressel also oversees a successful special teams unit that has been one of the best in the Big Ten since his arrival. Junior placekicker Dan Conroy, a first-team All-Big Ten honoree last season, was an honorable mention choice this season as he ranks tied for third in the league with 15 field goals and second in kick scoring with 7.1 points per game. Punter Mike Sadler ranks among the nation's leaders in punts inside the 10 (ninth with 10) and punts inside the 20 (tied for 19th with 19) and was named a Freshman All-American by Phil Steele (third team) and CollegeFootballNews.com (honorable mention). On the return teams, senior Keshawn Martin ranks second in the Big Ten and 15th in the FBS in punt returns (11.8 avg.), while Nick Hill has 938 kick return yards, fourth most in an MSU single-season.

In his role as linebackers coach the previous four seasons, Tressel mentored Greg Jones and Eric Gordon, two of the top linebackers in the nation who combined for 796 tackles in their careers. A back-to-back first-team consensus All-American, Jones became just the seventh player in program history to receive first-team All-Big Ten honors three times. Jones, who ranks among MSU's all-time leaders in tackles for loss (second with 44.5), tackles (third with 457) and sacks (sixth with 16.5), was selected in the sixth round (No. 185 overall) of the 2011 NFL Draft by the New York Giants.

Gordon started more games (49) than any player in Spartan history, including 40 consecutive starting assignments. He finished his career ranked among MSU's all-time leaders in tackles for loss (10th with 29), tackles (12th with 331) and sacks (21st with 9.5).

The past five years, MSU has had two first-team All-Big Ten placekickers (Brett Swenson, Conroy), a first-team All-Big Ten punter (Aaron Bates), and has featured conference leaders in both kick returns (Devin Thomas) and punt returns (Martin).

Four of the biggest plays during Michigan State's 2010 Big Ten Championship season arrived on special teams, including: Bates' 29-yard completion to Charlie Gantt on a fake field goal in overtime that won the game against Notre Dame; Martin's 72-yard punt return for a touchdown that gave MSU the lead for good in the win over Wisconsin; Bates' 21-yard pass to Bennie Fowler on a fake punt in the fourth quarter that sparked MSU's comeback at Northwestern; and Denicos Allen's blocked punt late in the fourth quarter against Purdue that led to the game-winning touchdown.

Tressel arrived at Michigan State following the 2006 regular season, as he was one of eight assistants to follow Coach Dantonio to MSU from Cincinnati.

For Tressel's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE TRESSEL FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Fifth. Joined staff on Dec. 1, 2006, from Cincinnati.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College – Graduate assistant coach at South Dakota (1996-97); offensive line coach (1998-2000) and offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach (2001) at Wartburg (Iowa) College; graduate assistant linebackers coach at Ohio State (2002-03); linebackers and special teams coach at Cincinnati (2004-06).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in mathematics from Cornell (Iowa) College in 1996; master's degree in sports administration at South Dakota in 1998.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College – Four-year starter in the secondary at Cornell (Iowa) College (1992-95).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach – 1999 NCAA Division III Playoffs, 2003 Fiesta Bowl, 2004 Fiesta Bowl, 2004 Fort Worth Bowl, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

DAVE WARNER
QUARTERBACKS
FIFTH SEASON

Under the direction of Dave Warner the last five seasons, Spartan quarterbacks have been posting record numbers.

Fifth-year senior Kirk Cousins, who is the winningest quarterback in school history with 26 victories as a starter the past three seasons, is MSU's career record holder for touchdowns passes (65), pass completions (696), completion percentage (.646), passing efficiency (148.3 rating) and 200-yard passing games (25). He also ranks among MSU's career leaders in passing yards (second with 8,932), pass attempts (second with 1,078) and total offense (second with 8,681 yards). Cousins' numbers are some of the best in Big Ten history, as he enters the Outback Bowl third in completion percentage, fourth in passing efficiency and 10th in touchdown passes in the conference's all-time record book.

In his final season wearing the Green and White, Cousins is having his best year as a Spartan, setting an MSU record with 24 passing TDs while throwing for a career-high 3,016 yards. One of three finalists for the Chicago Tribune Silver Football Award, which is presented to the top player in the Big Ten, Cousins ranks second in the conference in TD passes, third in passing (232.0 ypg.), third in passing efficiency (151.4 rating) and sixth in total offense (227.2 ypg.).

Cousins earned second-team All-Big Ten accolades from the coaches and was an honorable mention All-American by SI.com. He was also named one of 10 finalists for the Manning Award and one of 16 semifinalists for the Davey O'Brien Award.

As a team, the Spartans have thrown for 25 touchdown passes and 3,217 yards, numbers which rank third and fifth most in school history, respectively.

In his second year as the starter in 2010, Cousins blossomed his junior season and helped lead Michigan State to a share of the Big Ten Championship. He completed a career-high 67 percent of his passes for 2,825 yards and 20 touchdowns and was an honorable mention All-Big Ten selection. Cousins tied a Michigan State record by throwing a touchdown pass in 16 consecutive games (spanning from 2009 to 2010), and also had one stretch of six consecutive 200-yard passing games.

In Cousins' first year as a starter, the sophomore finished the 2009 season completing 60 percent of his passes for 2,680 yards and 19 touchdowns. His pass efficiency rating of 142.6 ranked third in the Big Ten and 25th nationally. Warner also tutored Keith Nichol in 2009, who threw for 764 yards and seven touchdowns while compiling a 143.2 quarterback rating.

Warner mentored Brian Hoyer in 2007 and 2008, and Hoyer responded by becoming one of the most productive quarterbacks in Spartan history. Hoyer ranks among MSU's career leaders in pass attempts (No. 3 at 896), passing yards (No. 4 with 6,159), pass completions (No. 4 at 500) and TD passes (No. 7 with 35). Warner also developed Hoyer's game management skills, as the senior captain accumulated a 16-11 record and led the Spartans to back-to-back bowl appearances. After signing a free agent contract in April 2009, Hoyer has worked his way into the back-up quarterback role for the New England Patriots the past three seasons.

Warner has been a quarterbacks coach and/or offensive coordinator or passing game coordinator for 22 of his previous 27 seasons as a college assistant.

For Warner's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE WARNER FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Fifth. Joined the staff on Dec. 1, 2006, from Cincinnati.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College – Graduate assistant at Syracuse (1982-83); running backs coach (1984-85) and quarterbacks coach (1986-87) at Kent State; quarterbacks coach at Kansas (1988-96); quarterbacks coach at Bucknell (1997); passing game coordinator at Wyoming (1998); offensive coordinator at Connecticut (1999-2000); passing game coordinator at Houston (2001-02); wide receivers coach at Southern Miss (2003-04); quarterbacks coach at Cincinnati (2006).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in speech communications from Syracuse in 1982; master's degree in physical education from Syracuse in 1984.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College – Three-year letterwinner as a quarterback at Syracuse (1979-81).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Player – 1979 Independence Bowl. Coach – 1992 Aloha Bowl, 1995 Aloha Bowl, 2003 Liberty Bowl, 2004 New Orleans Bowl, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

KEN MANNIE
HEAD STRENGTH &
CONDITIONING COACH
17TH SEASON

Ken Mannie is in his 17th year as Michigan State's head strength and conditioning coach for football, while additionally directing and overseeing the strength and conditioning programs for all men's and women's sports. His "Fourth Quarter" offseason conditioning program has been a significant reason for Michigan State's success in the Coach Mark Dantonio era, as the Spartans have earned a school-record five consecutive bowl bids.

Mannie is a certified strength and conditioning specialist with the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association (CSCCa), the National Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association (NSCA) and holds an honorary certification with the International Association of Resistance Trainers (IART). In May 2002 at its annual conference in Salt Lake City, the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association awarded Mannie the title of Master Strength and Conditioning Coach (MSCC) in recognition of his credentials, professional contributions, mentorship, expertise, and longevity in the field. He is also a professional member of the American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM), the National Association for Sport and Physical Education (NASPE), and the American Association for Health Education (AAHE).

In both 2006 and 2007, Mannie was named to Who's Who Among America's Teachers in recognition for his numerous and ongoing educational efforts in the field of strength and conditioning and in bringing awareness to the anabolic drug abuse problem in sports. He has been recognized and is widely-published on his adamant stance against performance-enhancing drugs.

In June, 2007, the Varsity S Club inducted him as an honorary member.

He has written over 300 articles and four book chapters on the various aspects of strength/conditioning, speed/power development, sports nutrition, motivation, athletics, and the anabolic drug abuse issue. Since 2000, Mannie has written the monthly column "Powerline" for Coach and Athletic Director, the nation's oldest and most prestigious coaching publication. He is also a frequent contributor to the Championship Performance newsletter.

He also serves on the advisory boards for the National Strength Professionals Association (NSPA), the information-based Athletic Strength and Power (ASAP) website, and the Ultimate Strength and Conditioning website.

Mannie has coached numerous All-Americans, as well as a host of players who went on to have highly successful NFL careers.

Additionally, he has served as a consultant to several NFL teams on training equipment, program design, and the organization and administration of testing protocols.

Prior to his arrival at Michigan State, Mannie spent nine years in a similar capacity at the University of Toledo (1985-94). He worked for Nick Saban in 1990 when the Rockets won a share of the Mid-American Conference title and finished 9-2.

He served as a graduate assistant along with Mark Dantonio at Ohio State in 1984, working with the Buckeyes' Big Ten championship football team.

For Mannie's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE MANNIE FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: 17th. Joined staff on Dec. 8, 1994, from Toledo.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College — Graduate assistant at Ohio State (1984); head strength and conditioning coach at Toledo (1985-94). Also coached and taught at the high school level for ten years.

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in health and physical education from Akron in 1974; master's degree in health and physical education with an emphasis in exercise science from Ohio State in 1985.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College — Three-year letterman and two-year starter at offensive guard at Akron (1971-73).

BOWL EXPERIENCE: Coach — 1985 Rose Bowl, 1995 Independence Bowl, 1996 Sun Bowl, 1997 Aloha Bowl, 2000 Florida Citrus Bowl, 2001 Silicon Valley Football Classic, 2003 Alamo Bowl, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

SPARTAN SUPPORT STAFF

TOMMY HOKE
ASSOCIATE HEAD STRENGTH & CONDITIONING COACH
EIGHTH SEASON

Tommy Hoke is in his eighth year as associate head strength and conditioning coach at Michigan State. He was named a Master Strength and Conditioning Coach (MSCC) in May 2010 by the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association (CSCCa), which is the highest honor given to a strength and conditioning professional.

Along with Coach Mannie, Hoke has been instrumental in coordinating the "Fourth Quarter" offseason conditioning program that has been one of the key reasons for MSU's success in the Coach Mark Dantonio era.

Hoke came to Michigan State following eight seasons at Appalachian State (1996-2003), including three years as an assistant before being promoted to head strength and conditioning coach in 1999 by head football coach Jerry Moore. In his role as head strength and conditioning coach, he organized workouts for Appalachian State's 20 varsity sports.

A certified strength and conditioning specialist, Hoke played an integral part in helping Appalachian State football to a combined record of 67-30 (.691) from 1996-2003, including a 48-16 record (.750) in Southern Conference games. The Mountaineers made five-straight appearances in the NCAA I-AA playoffs from 1998-2002. During his tenure, 13 Appalachian State players were invited to National Football League training camps.

Prior to his second stint at Appalachian State, Hoke spent one year as assistant strength and conditioning coach at Texas Tech (1995-96) where he worked primarily with the Red Raiders' men's basketball, women's soccer, softball and track and field programs while assisting football.

Hoke first arrived on the Appalachian State campus in 1992, working for four years as assistant strength and conditioning coach (1992-95).

He began his coaching career as an assistant track and field coach at UNC Wilmington in 1991.

A native of Durham, N.C., Hoke lettered in track and field at UNC Wilmington, competing in the javelin and shot put in 1990. He also participated in soccer in 1986.

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THE HOKE FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Eighth. Joined staff on April 26, 2004, from Appalachian State.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College — assistant track and field coach at UNC Wilmington (1991); assistant strength and conditioning coach at Appalachian State (1992-95); assistant strength and conditioning coach at Texas Tech (1995-96); assistant strength and conditioning coach at Appalachian State (1996-1998); head strength and conditioning coach at Appalachian State (1999-2003).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in physical education from UNC Wilmington in 1990; master's degree in exercise science from Appalachian State in 1993.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College — Lettered in track and field at UNC Wilmington (1990).

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach — 1998 NCAA I-AA playoffs, 1999 NCAA I-AA playoffs, 2000 NCAA I-AA playoffs, 2001 NCAA I-AA playoffs, 2002 NCAA I-AA playoffs, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

TIM ALLEN
DIRECTOR OF FOOTBALL OPERATIONS
FOURTH SEASON

Tim Allen, who previously worked together with Spartan head coach Mark Dantonio and quarterbacks coach Dave Warner at Kansas in the early 1990s, is in his fourth season as director of football operations at Michigan State.

Allen oversees the day-to-day operations and budget of the football program. His duties include coordinating team travel, bowl game preparations, future scheduling and facility updates to the Skandalaris Football Center. In addition, Allen serves as the summer football camp director and is Coach Dantonio's liaison to the equipment staff, training room, video department, field maintenance and all athletic administration.

Allen previously spent 19 seasons on Glen Mason's coaching staff at Kansas (1988-96) and Minnesota (1997-2006).

Allen came to Michigan State following 10 years at Minnesota where he served as assistant athletics director for football operations. During his tenure, the Golden Gophers made seven postseason bowl appearances, including five straight trips from 2002-06, and finished ranked among the nation's Top 25 on two occasions (1999: ESPN/USA TODAY No. 17 and Associated Press No. 18; 2003: No. 17 ESPN/USA TODAY and AP No. 20). From 1999-2005, Minnesota averaged better than seven wins per season (50 total).

Allen previously spent 11 seasons at Kansas, first as a defensive graduate assistant in 1986 before being promoted to administrative assistant for football operations in 1987. He was retained when Mason became the Jayhawks' head coach in 1988. During his stint in Lawrence, Allen was part of one of college football's most dramatic turnarounds as Kansas recorded a pair of Aloha Bowl victories (1992 over BYU and 1995 over UCLA) and two Top 25 finishes (1992: AP No. 22 and United Press International No. 23; 1995: No. 9 AP and No. 10 UPI).

While at Kansas, he served as the academic liaison for football and organized the on-campus recruiting efforts in addition to his other football operations duties.

From 1982-85, he worked as an assistant football coach (wide receivers, 1982-83; defensive backs/special teams coordinator, 1984-85) and admissions counselor at his alma mater, Bethel College in North Newton, Kansas. In October 2003, Allen and members of the 1984 Threshers' football team that posted an undefeated regular-season record (9-0) en route to winning the Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference (KCAC) championship and finishing second in the NAIA Division II final rankings were inducted into the Bethel College Athletic Hall of Fame.

A native of Seneca, Kansas, Allen earned two letters as a wide receiver and was elected team captain as a senior at Bethel College. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in health, physical education and recreation from Bethel College in 1986.

For Allen's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE ALLEN FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Fourth. Joined staff on June 13, 2008, from Minnesota.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College – Wide receivers coach (1982-83) and defensive backs coach/special teams coordinator (1984-85) at Bethel College; defensive graduate assistant (1986), administrative assistant for football operations (1987) and director of football operations (1988-96) at Kansas; assistant athletics director for football operations at Minnesota (1997-2006).

EDUCATION: Bachelor of Science in health, physical education and recreation from Bethel College in 1986.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College – Two-year letterman as a wide receiver at Bethel College.

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach – 1984 NAIA Division II playoffs, 1992 Aloha Bowl, 1995 Aloha Bowl, 1999 Sun Bowl, 2000 MicronPC.com Bowl, 2002 Music City Bowl, 2003 Sun Bowl, 2004 Music City Bowl, 2005 Music City Bowl, 2006 Insight Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

DINO FOLINO
DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL/ PLAYER DEVELOPMENT & RELATIONS
10TH SEASON

Former Spartan assistant coach Dino Folino is in his 10th year as director of personnel/player development and relations at Michigan State.

Folino's responsibilities include coordinating football student-athlete housing and summer jobs program, high school coaches clinics and football fantasy camp. In addition, he serves as the football office's liaison to National Football League scouts, student-athlete support services, sports marketing department, MSU Football Players Association and Michigan High School Football Coaches Association.

Prior to accepting a position in athletics administration, he spent 27 years in the college coaching ranks. Folino returned to Michigan State following four years at Vanderbilt (1998-2001), where he coached the secondary and served as defensive coordinator under Woody Widenhofer.

He worked one season as a defensive coordinator at Alma College (1997) and two years as the defensive backs coach at Albion College (1995-96).

Folino previously spent seven years as the secondary coach at Michigan State (1988-94) under George Perles. During his tenure, the Spartans made four bowl appearances (1989 Gator, 1989 Aloha, 1990 Sun and 1993 Liberty) and won a share of the 1990 Big Ten championship. In 1994, Michigan State led the Big Ten in passing defense (103.1 rating). In addition, Folino coached three first-team All-Big Ten selections: safety John Miller (1987-88), safety Harlon Barnett (1989) and cornerback Demetrice Martin (1994). Barnett, who now serves as secondary coach under fourth-year Michigan State head coach Mark Dantonio, also earned first-team All-America honors from The Sporting News in 1989.

His college coaching credits also include stops at Rice (1986-87), Penn (1985), Pittsburgh (1981-84), Cincinnati (1977-80), New Hampshire (1976) and Ohio State (1974-75). During his stint under Jackie Sherrill at Pittsburgh, the Panthers finished ranked in The Associated Press Top 25 three-straight years (No. 4 in 1981, No. 10 in 1982 and No. 18 in 1983) while earning trips to the 1982 Sugar, 1983 Cotton and 1984 Fiesta Bowls. Folino began his coaching career as a graduate assistant under legendary Coach Woody Hayes at Ohio State, where the Buckeyes won two-straight Big Ten championships in 1974-75 and made back-to-back Rose Bowl appearances (1975-76).

A three-year football letterman (1968-70), Folino earned his bachelor's degree in education from Villanova in 1971. He received a master's degree in educational administration from Ohio State in 1975.

For Folino's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com.

THE FOLINO FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: 17th overall. Rejoined staff in 2002.

PREVIOUS COACHING EXPERIENCE: College - Graduate assistant at Ohio State (1974-75); defensive backs coach at New Hampshiire (1976); defensive backs coach at Cincinnati (1977-80); defensive backs coach at Pittsburgh (1981-84); defensive coordinator/defensive backs coach at Pennsylvania (1985-86); defensive backs coach at Rice (1986-87); defensive backs coach at Michigan State (1988-94); defensive backs at Albion College (1995-96); defensive coordinator at Alma (1997); defensive backs coach and defensive coordinator at Vanderbilt (1998-2001).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in education from Villanova in 1971; master's degree in educational administration from Ohio State in 1975.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: College – Three-year starter at safety for Villanova.

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: Coach – 1975 Rose Bowl, 1976 Rose Bowl, 1976 NCAA Division II Playoffs, 1982 Sugar Bowl, 1983 Cotton Bowl, 1984 Fiesta Bowl, 1989 Gator Bowl, 1989 Aloha Bowl, 1990 Sun Bowl, 1993 Liberty Bowl, 1996 NCAA Division III Playoffs, 2003 Alamo Bowl, 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

BRAD LUNSFORD
DIRECTOR OF EXECUTIVE FOOTBALL OPERATIONS
FIFTH SEASON

Brad Lunsford is in his fifth year as a full-time member of the Spartan football staff as director of executive football operations.

Lunsford's primary responsibilities include coordinating team travel, preseason camp, training table and food services as well as administrative oversight over all practice sessions.

In addition, he supervises the comp ticket program for MSU players during the regular season and postseason; develops all administrative manuals for the program; plus assists in planning the yearly calendar as well as camps and clinics.

Lunsford also organizes and coordinates all day-to-day football-related activities for head coach Mark Dantonio and serves as the football office's liaison to the athletic communications staff.

Lunsford spent one year at Delaware State, serving as the school's first director of football operations. In his dual role as assistant athletics director, he oversaw all operations of the Hornet program in 2006, managing day-to-day administrative tasks while arranging team travel and scheduling.

Prior to spending the 2006 season at Delaware State, Lunsford worked for five years in the Michigan State football office. From September 2000 to May 2004, he was the assistant to the recruiting coordinator, managing all mailings for high school and junior college film requests, maintaining the program's recruiting database and organizing a nationwide recruiting board. In 2003, he was employed by Palace Sports and Entertainment in Auburn Hills, Mich., as a basketball operations intern for the WNBA's Detroit Shock.

Upon earning his bachelor's degree in public policy from Michigan State in May 2004, Lunsford changed roles and was promoted to assistant director of football operations. Serving in a graduate assistant capacity for the 2004 and 2005 seasons, he helped former Assistant Athletics Director/Director of Football Operations Mike Vollmar in all administrative duties, including recruiting functions, team travel and managing and training student administrative and recruiting aides.

For Lunsford's complete bio, please visit msuspartans.com

THE LUNSFORD FILE

YEARS AT MICHIGAN STATE: Fifth on full-time staff as director of executive football operations.

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE: College – Assistant to the recruiting coordinator at Michigan State (2000-03); assistant director of football operations at Michigan State (2004-05); assistant athletics director/director of football operations at Delaware State (2006).

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree in public policy from Michigan State in 2004; master's degree in sports administration from Michigan State in 2005.

POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE: 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, 2009 Capital One Bowl, 2010 Alamo Bowl, 2011 Capital One Bowl, 2012 Outback Bowl.

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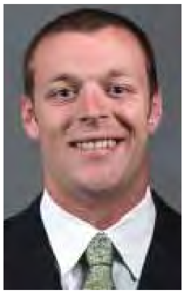
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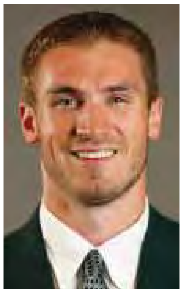
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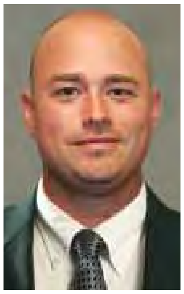
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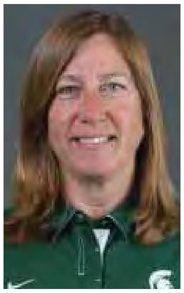
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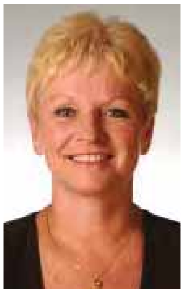
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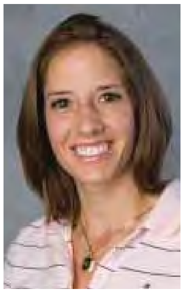
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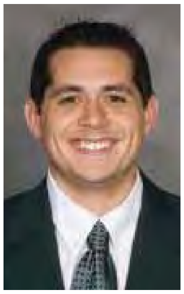
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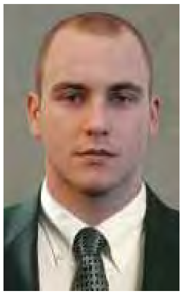

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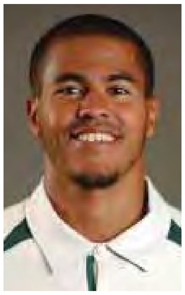


FREDDIE WALKER
STRENGTH & CONDITIONING
GRADUATE ASSISTANT

SPARTAN BOWL HISTORY

- Michigan State football teams have appeared in 21 postseason bowl games, including nine New Year's Day games. The Spartans are 7-14 (.333) in bowl games.
- The Spartans will be appearing in their school-record fifth straight bowl game when they face Georgia in the 2012 Outback Bowl.
- Mark Dantonio is the first coach in Michigan State history to earn a postseason bowl bid in each of his first five seasons.
- Michigan State's 37-34 win over No. 10 Florida in the 2000 Florida Citrus Bowl marked its first New Year's Day bowl victory since the 1988 Rose Bowl and ended a four-game losing streak in postseason play.
- Eight of Michigan State's last nine bowl opponents have been ranked in The Associated Press Top 25, including No. 18 Georgia in the 2012 Outback Bowl, No. 15 Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl, No. 16 Georgia in the 2009 Capital One Bowl, No. 14 Boston College in the 2007 Champs Sports Bowl, No. 22 Nebraska in the 2003 Alamo Bowl, No. 20 Fresno State in the 2001 Silicon Valley Football Classic, No. 10 Florida in the 2000 Florida Citrus Bowl and No. 21 Washington in the 1997 Aloha Bowl.
- During his 12-year tenure (1983-94), George Perles took Michigan State to seven bowl games, including four-straight trips from 1987-90 (1988 Rose, 1989 Gator, 1989 Aloha and 1990 Sun).
- Michigan State has made four appearances in the Rose Bowl, posting a 3-1 record. The Spartans defeated UCLA in 1954 and 1956, and USC in 1988.

Michigan State took on Alabama in the 2011 Capital One Bowl in Orlando, Fla.

BOWL SCORECARD

Year	Date	Bowl	Opponent	Result	Score
1938	Jan. 1	Orange	Auburn	L	0-6
1954	Jan. 1	Rose	UCLA	W	28-20
1956	Jan. 1	Rose	UCLA	W	17-14
1966	Jan. 2	Rose	UCLA	L	12-14
1984	Dec. 22	Cherry	Army	L	6-10
1985	Dec. 31	All-American	Georgia Tech	L	14-17
1988	Jan. 1	Rose	USC	W	20-17
1989	Jan. 1	Gator	Georgia	L	27-34
1989	Dec. 25	Aloha	Hawaii	W	33-13
1990	Dec. 31	Sun	USC	W	17-16
1993	Dec. 28	Liberty	Louisville	L	7-18
1995	Dec. 29	Independence	LSU	L	26-45
1996	Dec. 31	Sun	Stanford	L	0-38
1997	Dec. 25	Aloha	Washington	L	23-51
2000	Jan. 1	Citrus	Florida	W	37-34
2001	Dec. 31	Silicon Valley	Fresno State	W	44-35
2003	Dec. 29	Alamo	Nebraska	L	3-17
2007	Dec. 28	Champs Sports	Boston College	L	21-24
2009	Jan. 1	Capital One	Georgia	L	12-24
2010	Jan. 2	Alamo	Texas Tech	L	31-41
2011	Jan. 1	Capital One	Alabama	L	7-49

Michigan State battled Georgia in the 2009 Capital One Bowl.

SPARTAN BOWL HISTORY

BOWL BREAKDOWN

Bowl Appearances: 21
Record in Bowl Games: 7-14

Alamo Bowl 0-1
2003 / Nebraska 17, MSU 3
2010 / Texas Tech 41, MSU 31

All-American 0-1
1985 / Georgia Tech 17, MSU 14

Aloha 1-1
1989 / MSU 33, Hawaii 14
1997 / Washington 51, MSU 23

Capital One 1-2
2000 / MSU 37, Florida 34
2009 / Georgia 24, MSU 12
2011 / Alabama 49, MSU 7

Champs Sports 0-1
2007 / Boston College 24, MSU 21

Cherry 0-1
1984 / Army 10, MSU 6

Gator 0-1
1989 / Georgia 34, MSU 27

Independence 0-1
1995 / LSU 45, MSU 26

Liberty 0-1
1993 / Louisville 18, MSU 7

Orange 0-1
1938 / Auburn 6, MSU 0

Rose 3-1
1954 / MSU 28, UCLA 20
1956 / MSU 17, UCLA 14
1966 / UCLA 14, MSU 12
1988 / MSU 20, USC 17

Silicon Valley Classic 1-0
2001 / MSU 44, Fresno State 35

Sun Bowl 1-1
1990 / MSU 17, USC 16
1996 / Stanford 38, MSU 0

Michigan State defeated USC, 20-17, in the 1988 Rose Bowl.

Paul Edinger kicked a 39-yard field goal as time expired to give No. 9 Michigan State a 37-34 victory over No. 10 Florida in the 2000 Citrus Bowl.

T.J. Duckett rushed for a Spartan bowl-record 184 yards vs. Fresno State in the 2001 Silicon Valley Football Classic.

1938 ORANGE BOWL • AUBURN 6, MICHIGAN STATE 0

1938 Orange Bowl
Jan. 1, 1938 • Miami, Fla.
Roddy Burdine Stadium (Orange Bowl) • Att: 18,970

MIAMI, Fla. - The fourth-annual Orange Bowl game wasn't nearly as close as the final score might indicate as Auburn dominated play on both sides of the football in recording a shutout victory, 6-0, over Michigan State. It still ranks as the lowest-scoring game in Orange Bowl history.

Auburn wasted two scoring opportunities in the first quarter. Jimmy Fenton's 25-yard run gave the Tigers a first-and-10 at the MSU 12, but the Spartan defense responded by stuffing three-straight running plays and Lyle Rockenbach broke up Fenton's fourth-down pass. Tom McShannock's interception and 29-yard return ended Auburn's second scoring threat.

The game's only touchdown came in the second quarter and it was set up by George Kenmore's 28-yard pass to Ralph O'Gwynne to the MSU 2. Auburn fullback Pel Sitz netted only 1 yard on three carries before O'Gwynne scored on a 1-yard run around left end on fourth-and-goal.

The Tigers had several chances in the second half to break the game open. Auburn turned the ball over on downs at the MSU 16 in the third quarter after Dutch Heath's 12-yard interception return to the MSU 24.

Michigan State failed to record a first down until late in the third quarter when Ed Pearce broke a 29-yard run. Auburn drove inside the MSU 30 twice in the fourth quarter but failed to put points on the scoreboard. The Spartans' only other first down came on a 23-yard pass from John Pingel to Usif Haney midway through the fourth quarter.

Auburn outgained Michigan State in total yards, 278-67. Fenton and Speck Kelly combined for 137 of the Tigers' 197 rushing yards, gaining 76 and 61 yards, respectively.

Auburn held Pingel, MSU's All-America halfback, to 12 yards rushing on seven carries. A sellout crowd of nearly 19,000 attended the game at Miami's brand-new $360,000 Roddy Burdine Stadium.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (8-2)	0	0	0	0	-	0
Auburn (6-2-3)	0	6	0	0	-	6

SCORING SUMMARY

SECOND QUARTER

AU (6-0)	Ralph O'Gwynne 1-yard run (kick failed)

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	AU
First Downs	2	13
Rushing Yards	40	197
Passing Yards	27	81
Passes (C-A-I)	2-12-3	4-10-2
Total Offense	67	278
Punts-Avg.	12-35.2	10-33.7
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalty Yards	35	50

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (YARDS)

MSU: Ed Pearce 29, John Pingel 12, Arthur Harris 9, George Kovacich 8; AU: Jimmy Fenton 76, Speck Kelly 61, Dutch Heath 37, Pel Sitz 31, Ralph O'Gwynne 13, Mims 5.

1954 ROSE BOWL • NO. 3 MICHIGAN STATE 28, NO. 5 UCLA 20

1954 Rose Bowl
Jan. 1, 1954 • Pasadena, Calif.
Rose Bowl • Att: 101,000

PASADENA, Calif. - Billy Wells ran for one touchdown and returned a punt for another score to lead No. 3 Michigan State to a 28-20 victory over No. 5 UCLA in the 1954 Rose Bowl.

UCLA jumped out to a 14-0 lead, capitalizing on two Spartan turnovers. Midway through the first quarter, Jim Salsbury recovered a fumble on the MSU 37 and six plays later, Paul Cameron hit Bill Stits with a 13-yard TD strike to give the Bruins a 7-0 lead. Early in the second quarter, Hardiman Cureton and Bob Long combined to sack Spartan QB Earl Morrall, who fumbled, and Cureton fell on it at the MSU 18. Seven plays later, Cameron scored on a 2-yard run off left tackle.

The momentum changed midway through the second quarter when Ellis Duckett blocked Cameron's punt from the UCLA 25 and returned it 6 yards for a touchdown as the Spartans cut the deficit to 14-7 at halftime.

The Spartans dominated play in the third quarter. Michigan State took the second-half kickoff and drove 78 yards in 14 plays with LeRoy Bolden scoring on a 1-yard dive to tie the game at 14. Wells capped a 10-play, 73-yard drive with a 2-yard TD run to give the Spartans their first lead at 21-14 late in the third quarter.

Early in the fourth quarter, UCLA forced another fumble and Jack Ellena recovered it at the MSU 24. Two plays later, Cameron hit Rommie Loudd with a 28-yard TD toss but Cameron's conversion attempt sailed wide and the Bruins still trailed 21-20.

Michigan State iced the game when Wells returned Cameron's punt 62 yards for a touchdown with 4:51 left in the fourth quarter.

Wells led a well-balanced Spartan running attack, picking up 80 yards on 14 carries.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
UCLA (8-2)	7	7	0	6	-	20
Michigan State (9-1)	7	7	14	7	-	28

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

UCLA (7-0) Bill Stits 13-yard pass from Paul Cameron (John Hermann kick), 3:50 left
Drive: 6 plays, 37 yards

SECOND QUARTER

UCLA (14-0) Paul Cameron 2-yard run (John Hermann kick), 10:56 left
Drive: 7 plays, 18 yards
MSU (7-14) Ellis Duckett 6-yard blocked punt return (Evan Slonac kick), 4:45 left

THIRD QUARTER

MSU (14-14) LeRoy Bolden 1-yard run (Evan Slonac kick), 8:47 left
Drive: 14 plays, 78 yards
MSU (21-14) Billy Wells 2-yard run (Evan Slonac kick), 2:45 left
Drive: 10 plays, 73 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

UCLA (20-21) Rommie Loudd 28-yard pass from Paul Cameron
(John Hermann kick failed), 12:36 left, Drive: 2 plays, 24 yards
MSU (28-20) Billy Wells 62-yard punt return (Evan Slonac kick), 4:51 left

TEAM STATISTICS	UCLA	MSU
First Downs	16	14
Rushes-Yards	40-90	53-195
Passing Yards	152	11
Passes (C-A-I)	9-24-2	2-10-1
Total Offense	64-242	63-206
Punts-Avg.	6-38.7	5-35.4
Fumbles-Lost	4-3	4-4
Penalties-Yards	4-30	2-15

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

UCLA: Bill Stits 5-25, Bob Davenport 8-22, Pete Dailey 7-20, Primo Villaneuva 5-17, Don Stalwick 1-11, John Hermann 1-6, Rommie Loudd 1-(-4), Paul Cameron 12-(-7); **MSU:** Billy Wells 14-80, LeRoy Bolden 14-52, Evan Slonac 13-39, John Matsock 5-26, Gerald Planutis 2-11, James Ellis 2-1, Tom Yewcic 2-(-6), Earl Morrall 1-(-8).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

UCLA: Paul Cameron 9-22-1-152, Primo Villaneuva 0-2-1-0; **MSU:** Tom Yewcic 2-8-1-11, Earl Morrall 0-2-0-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

UCLA: Bill Stits 2-46, John Hermann 2-15, Bob Heydenfeldt 1-33, Rommie Loudd 1-28, Don Stalwick 1-15, Bob Long 1-10, Pete Dailey 1-5; **MSU:** LeRoy Bolden 1-18, Evan Slonac 1-(-7).

1956 ROSE BOWL • NO. 2 MICHIGAN STATE 17, NO. 4 UCLA 14

1956 Rose Bowl
Jan. 2, 1956 • Pasadena, Calif.
Pasadena, Calif. • Att: 100,809

PASADENA, Calif. - Dave Kaiser converted his first career field-goal attempt, a 41-yarder with seven seconds left, to give No. 2 Michigan State a 17-14 win over No. 4 UCLA in the 1956 Rose Bowl.

Michigan State found itself in an early hole as Earl Morrall's pass on the first play from scrimmage was intercepted by Jim Decker and returned 4 yards to the MSU 16. Four plays later, Bob Davenport scored on a 2-yard run over left guard to give the Bruins a 7-0 lead with 11:48 left in the first quarter.

Midway through the second quarter, Michigan State put together an 11-play, 80-yard drive to pull even at 7. Walt Kowalczyk's 30-yard run to the UCLA 17 set up Morrall's 13-yard touchdown toss to Clarence Peaks.

On the second play of the fourth quarter, the Spartans took their first lead at 14-7 on Peaks' 67-yard TD pass to John Lewis, who caught the ball on the 50 and took it the distance.

Five minutes later, UCLA's passing game produced a big play as Ronnie Knox hit Decker with a 47-yard bomb to the MSU 7. Three plays later, Doug Peters scored on a 1-yard plunge at center.

Morrall directed an 11-play, 59-yard drive to the UCLA 24, but Gerald Planutis missed a 41-yard field-goal attempt.

Five penalties were called in the closing minutes and field position shifted in Michigan State's favor when UCLA was whistled for three-straight fouls. The Spartans' game-winning drive started at the UCLA 19.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
UCLA (9-2)	7	0	0	7	-	14
Michigan State (9-1)	0	7	0	10	-	17

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
UCLA (7-0) Bob Davenport 2-yard run (Jim Decker kick), 11:48 left
Drive: 4 plays, 16 yards

SECOND QUARTER
MSU (7-7) Clarence Peaks 13-yard pass from Earl Morrall (Gerald Planutis kick), 5:52 left
Drive: 11 plays, 80 yards

FOURTH QUARTER
MSU (14-7) John Lewis 67-yard pass from Clarence Peaks (Gerald Planutis kick), 14:11 left
Drive: 3 plays, 80 yards
UCLA (14-14) Doug Peters 1-yard run (Jim Decker kick), 6:07 left
Drive: 5 plays, 56 yards
MSU (17-14) Doug Kaiser 41-yard field goal, 0:07 left
Drive: 3 plays, -5 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	UCLA	MSU
First Downs	13	18
Rushes-Yards	42-136	50-251
Passing Yards	61	130
Passes (C-A-I)	2-10-2	6-18-2
Total Offense	52-197	68-381
Punts-Avg.	7-39.6	2-40.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	4-1
Penalties-Yards	8-60	10-98

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
UCLA: Sam Brown 14-63, Bob Davenport 10-26, Doug Peters 6-20, Ronnie Knox 6-12, Chuck Hollaway 1-10, Jim Decker 4-3, Doug Bradley 1-2; **MSU:** Walt Kowalczyk 13-88, Gerald Planutis 12-66, Clarence Peaks 11-56, Earl Morrall 10-28, Dennis Mendyk 1-5, Gary Lowe 1-4, Jim Wulff 1-3, Don Zysk 1-1.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)
UCLA: Ronnie Knox 2-8-1-61, Sam Brown 0-2-0-0; **MSU:** Clarence Peaks 1-2-0-67, Earl Morrall 4-15-2-38, Walt Kowalczyk 1-1-0-25.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
UCLA: Jim Decker 1-47, Rommie Loudd 1-14; **MSU:** Clarence Peaks 3-40, John Lewis 1-67, Jim Hinesly 1-13, Don Zysk 1-10.

1966 ROSE BOWL • NO. 5 UCLA 14, NO. 2 MICHIGAN STATE 12

1966 Rose Bowl
Jan. 1, 1966 • Pasadena, Calif.
Rose Bowl • Att: 100,067

PASADENA, Calif. - Gary Beban ran for two touchdowns and threw for 147 yards to lead No. 5 UCLA to a 14-12 upset win over No. 2 Michigan State in the 1966 Rose Bowl.

Michigan State committed four first-half turnovers, with the first coming late in the first quarter as Don Japinga fumbled away a punt at the Spartan 6 that UCLA's John Erquiaga recovered. On the opening play of the second quarter, Beban scored on a 1-yard sneak to give the Bruins a 7-0 lead.

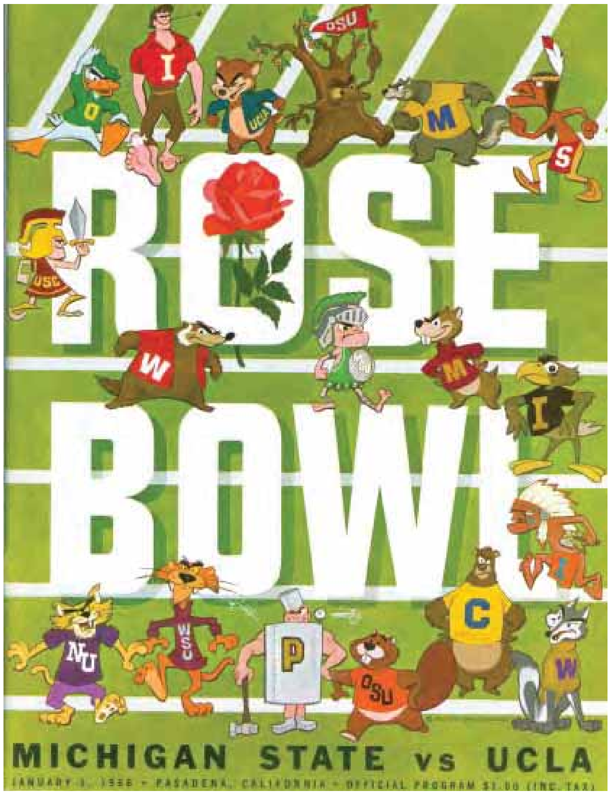
UCLA then surprised the Spartans with an onsides kick that Bruin Dallas Grider recovered at the MSU 42. Beban hooked up with Kurt Altenburg for a 27-yard pass to the MSU 1. Beban capped off the five-play, 42-yard drive with another 1-yard sneak as UCLA scored twice in 3:07 to build a 14-0 lead.

Michigan State rallied late in the fourth quarter, scoring twice in the final 6:13. Steve Juday's 42-yard strike to Gene Washington set up Bob Apisa's 38-yard TD run. Juday's two-point pass attempt failed and the Spartans trailed 14-6.

The Spartan defense held on the next series and "Bubba" Smith partially blocked Larry Cox's punt to give MSU possession at the UCLA 49. Juday finished off the 14-play scoring drive with a 1-yard sneak with 31 seconds left. On the two-point try, Apisa was stopped short of the goal line by Grider and Bob Stiles.

UCLA stopped the Spartans on fourth-and-1 plays three times in the second half, including twice in the fourth quarter.

Michigan State outgained UCLA in total yards, 314-212. The Spartans picked up 204 yards on the ground, with Clinton Jones rushing for 113 yards on 20 carries.


ROSE BOWL
MICHIGAN STATE vs UCLA
JANUARY 1, 1966 • PASADENA, CALIFORNIA • OFFICIAL PROGRAM $1.00 (INC. TAX)

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
UCLA (8-2-1)	0	14	0	0	-	14
Michigan State (10-1)	0	0	0	12	-	12

SCORING SUMMARY

SECOND QUARTER

UCLA (7-0)	Gary Beban 1-yard run (Kurt Zimmerman kick), 14:57 left Drive: 2 plays, 6 yards
UCLA (14-0)	Gary Beban 1-yard run (Kurt Zimmerman kick), 11:50 left Drive: 5 plays, 42 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (6-14)	Bob Apisa 38-yard run (pass failed), 6:13 left Drive: 2 plays, 80 yards
MSU (12-14)	Steve Juday 1-yard run (run failed), 0:31 left Drive: 15 plays, 51 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	UCLA	MSU
First Downs	10	13
Rushes-Yards	41-65	46-204
Passing Yards	147	110
Passes (C-A-I)	8-20-0	8-12-3
Total Offense	61-212	58-314
Punts-Avg.	11-39.0	5-42.4
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	3-2
Penalties-Yards	9-86	1-14

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

UCLA: Melvin Farr 10-36, Gary Beban 25-14, Paul Horgan 5-12, Ray Armstrong 1-3; MSU: Clinton Jones 20-113, Bob Apisa 4-49, Dwight Lee 15-41, James Raye 2-4, Eddie Cotton 1-3, Steve Juday 4-(-6).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

UCLA: Gary Beban 8-20-0-147; MSU: Steve Juday 6-18-3-80, James Raye 2-4-0-30.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

UCLA: Kurt Altenberg 3-55, Byron Nelson 2-29, Larry Slagle 1-35, Melvin Farr 1-22, Dick Witcher 1-6; MSU: Gene Washington 4-81, Dwight Lee 3-23, Clinton Jones 1-6.

1984 CHERRY BOWL • ARMY 10, MICHIGAN STATE 6

1984 Cherry Bowl
Dec. 22, 1984 • Pontiac, Mich.
Silverdome • Att: 70,336

PONTIAC, Mich. - Wishbone quarterback Nate Sassaman rushed for 136 yards on 28 carries to lead Army, making its first-ever bowl appearance, to a 10-6 triumph over Michigan State in the 1984 Cherry Bowl.

Michigan State had an early scoring chance after Phil Parker intercepted a rare Army pass and returned it 18 yards to the Cadet 43. Three plays netted only 8 yards and Ralf Mojsiejenko's 52-yard field-goal attempt missed wide left.

The Spartans put together a nine-play, 58-yard drive but early in the second quarter on third-and-goal from the Army 5, Dave Yarema's pass was intercepted in the end zone by Kermit McKelvy.

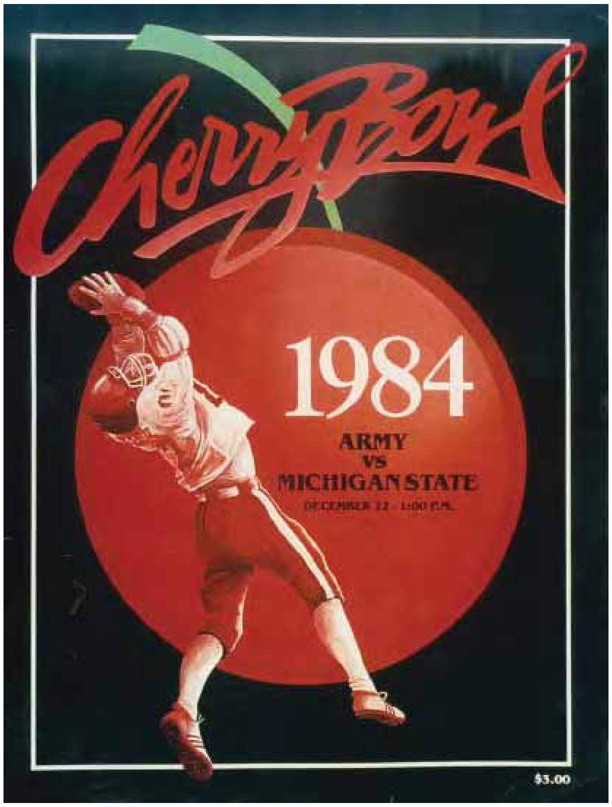
A Michigan State fumble near midfield led to Army's only touchdown. Cadet Clarence Jones capped off an eight-play, 46-yard drive with a 4-yard run off right tackle to give Army a 7-0 lead with 6:41 left in the first half.

Early in the third quarter, Sassaman rushed eight times for 37 yards during a 14-play, 49-yard drive, but Craig Stopa's 32-yard field-goal try went wide right.

Army converted a Spartan fumble into a field goal and a 10-0 lead in the fourth quarter as a 15-play, 59-yard drive produced a 38-yard field goal by Stopa with 8:40 remaining.

A Cadet fumble gave Michigan State life as Tom Allan recovered the ball at the MSU 49. Three plays later, Yarema found Bob Wasczenski in the left corner of the end zone with a 36-yard TD strike. The two-point pass attempt failed and Michigan State trailed 10-6 with 4:19 left.

Army gained 256 yards rushing on 71 attempts while controlling the clock for 34:05. The Cadets sacked Yarema six times and picked off three of his passes, including two by Doug Pavek.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Army (8-3-1)	0	7	0	3	-	10
Michigan State (6-6)	0	0	0	6	-	6

SCORING SUMMARY

SECOND QUARTER

Army (7-0)	Clarence Jones 4-yard run (Craig Stopa kick), 6:31 left Drive: 8 plays, 46 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

Army (10-0)	Craig Stopa 38-yard field goal, 8:40 left Drive: 15 plays, 59 yards
MSU (6-10)	Bob Wasczenski 36-yard pass from Dave Yarema (pass failed), 4:19 left Drive: 3 plays, 51 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	ARMY	MSU
First Downs	15	13
Rushes-Yards	71-256	33-89
Passing Yards	10	155
Passes (C-A-I)	1-2-1	11-25-3
Total Offense	73-266	58-244
Punts-Avg.	7-36.7	4-55.8
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	3-2
Penalties-Yards	1-7	4-26

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

ARMY: Nate Sassaman 28-136, Doug Black 22-57, Clarence Jones 10-41, Jarvis Hollingsworth, 10-28, Scott Spellmon 1-(-6); MSU: Lorenzo White 23-103, Keith Gates 1-3, Dave Yarema, 7-(-17).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

ARMY: Nate Sassaman 1-2-1-10; MSU: Dave Yarema 11-25-3-155.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

ARMY: Jarvis Hollingsworth 1-10; MSU: Butch Rolle 5-65, Bob Wasczenski 2-54, Mark Ingram,1-20, Bobby Morse 1-11, Keith Gates 1-8, Lorenzo White 1-(-3).

1985 ALL-AMERICAN BOWL • GEORGIA TECH 17, MICHIGAN STATE 14

1985 All-American Bowl
Dec. 31, 1985 • Birmingham, Ala.
Legion Field • Att: 45,000

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. - Malcolm King rushed for 122 yards on 16 carries and his 5-yard touchdown run with 1:50 left gave Georgia Tech a 17-14 come-from-behind victory over Michigan State in the 1985 All-American Bowl.

Tim Moore's interception late in the second quarter set up Michigan State's first scoring drive. Dave Yarema hit Mark Ingram for a 37-yard gain on first down and three plays later, he tossed a 6-yard TD pass to Ingram to give the Spartans a 7-0 lead with 2:03 left in the first half.

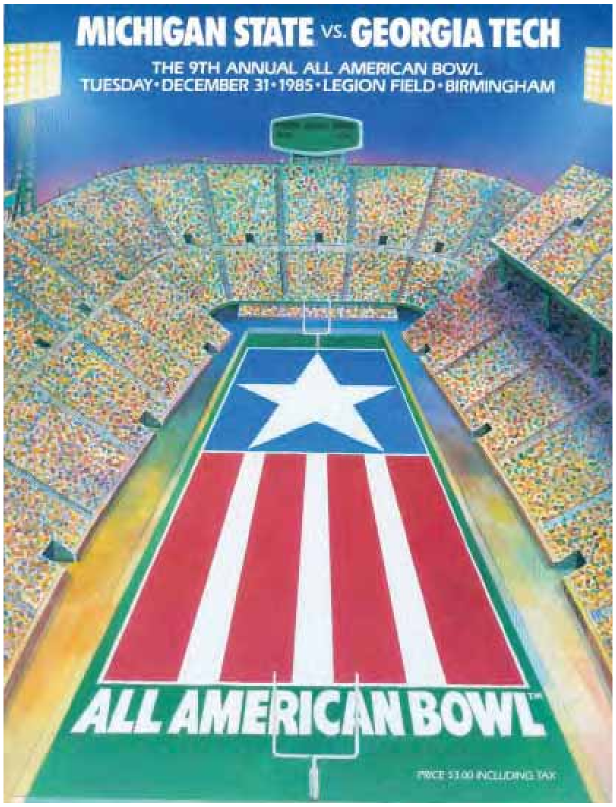
King's 56-yard run set up a 1-yard sneak by Todd Rampley, who was making his first collegiate start at quarterback, as the Yellow Jackets tied the game at 7 with 11:14 remaining in the third quarter.

Greg Montgomery pinned Georgia Tech back on its 2-yard line with a 31-yard punt. The Spartan defense held and forced Georgia Tech to punt out of its own end zone. Bobby Morse returned the punt 8 yards to the Yellow Jacket 37. Lorenzo White raced 11 yards around left end for a first down and on the next play, Yarema again hooked up with Ingram for a 27-yard scoring pass to give the Spartans a 14-7 lead with 4:41 left in the third quarter.

Georgia Tech pulled to within 14-10 as a 14-play, 57-yard drive resulted in a 40-yard field goal by David Bell with 7:08 to play.

Michigan State turned the ball over on its next possession as Pat Swilling recovered a fumble at the MSU 42. King capped off the eight-play drive with a 5-yard run off left tackle.

Ingram had three catches for 70 yards and two scores to earn the game's MVP award, while White gained a game-high 158 yards on 33 rushes.


MICHIGAN STATE VS. GEORGIA TECH
THE 9TH ANNUAL ALL AMERICAN BOWL
TUESDAY • DECEMBER 31 • 1985 • LEGION FIELD • BIRMINGHAM
ALL AMERICAN BOWL
PRICE $3.00 INCLUDING TAX

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (7-5)	0	7	7	0	-	14
Georgia Tech (9-2-1)	0	0	7	10	-	17

SCORING SUMMARY

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (7-0)	Mark Ingram 6-yard pass from Dave Yarema (Chris Caudell kick), 2:03 left Drive:4 plays, 48 yards

THIRD QUARTER

GT (7-7)	Todd Rampley 1-yard run (David Bell kick), 11:14 left Drive:4 plays, 66 yards
MSU (14-7)	Mark Ingram 27-yard pass from Dave Yarema (Chris Caudell kick), 4:41 left Drive: 2 plays, 38 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

GT (10-14)	David Bell 40-yard field goal, 7:08 left Drive: 14 plays, 57 yards
GT (17-14)	Malcolm King 5-yard run (David Bell kick), 1:50 left Drive: 8 plays, 42 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	GT
First Downs	14	16
Rushes-Yards	39-148	48-182
Passing Yards	85	99
Passes (C-A-I)	6-15-1	12-23-1
Total Offense	54-233	71-281
Punts-Avg.	6-36.7	6-37.8
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-0
Penalties-Yards	3-28	5-47

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

MSU: Lorenzo White 33-158, Bobby Morse 2-8, Dave Yarema 4-(-18); GT: Malcolm King 16-122, Nate Kelsey 8-30, Jerry Mays 9-20, Cory Collier 6-10, Chuck Easley 1-2, Todd Rampley 8-(-2).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

MSU: Dave Yarema 6-15-1-85; GT: Todd Rampley 12-23-1-99.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

MSU: Mark Ingram 3-70, Andre Rison 1-18, Veno Belk 1-4, Bobby Morse 1-(-7); GT: Jerry Mays 3-22, Cory Collier 3-14, Robert Massey 2-23, Nate Kelsey 2-10, Steve Davenport 1-21, Malcolm King 1-9.

1988 ROSE BOWL • NO. 8 MICHIGAN STATE 20, NO. 16 USC 17

1988 Rose Bowl
Jan. 1, 1988 • Pasadena, Calif.
Rose Bowl • Att: 103,847

PASADENA, Calif. - John Langeloh kicked a 36-yard field goal with 4:14 left in the fourth quarter, which proved to be the game winner, as No. 8 Michigan State defeated No. 16 Southern Cal, 20-17, in the 1988 Rose Bowl. The Spartans, making their first trip to Pasadena in 22 years, ended the Big Ten's six-game losing streak in the Rose Bowl.

USC scored on its second possession as a 12-play, 52-yard drive produced a 34-yard field goal by Quin Rodriguez.

MSU responded with a 15-play, 76-yard drive of its own to take a 7-3 lead on Lorenzo White's 5-yard touchdown run around left end with :54 left in the first quarter.

The Spartans built a 14-3 advantage early in the second quarter as Bobby McAllister's 55-yard completion to Andre Rison set up White's second TD run from 3 yards out.

The Trojans cut the deficit to 14-10 early in the third quarter as Rodney Peete hit Kevin Henry with a 33-yard TD strike.

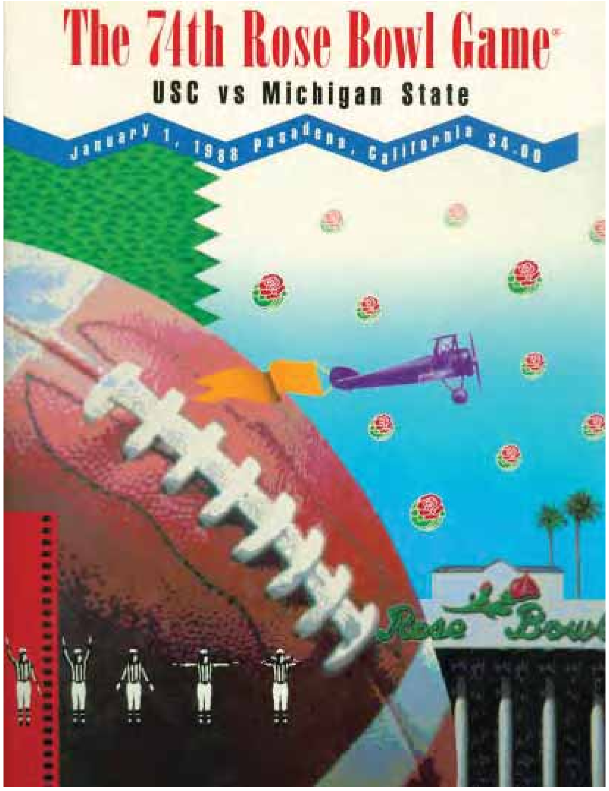
Michigan State extended its lead to 17-10 on Langeloh's 40-yard field goal early in the fourth quarter.

USC put together a 10-play, 80-yard drive to tie the score at 17 on Peete's 22-yard TD toss to Henry in the back of the end zone with 8:33 remaining.

Facing a third-and-8 from the MSU 30, McAllister eluded a heavy rush and completed a 36-yard pass to Rison for a first down at the USC 34. Blake Ezor carried the ball six-straight times to the USC 18 to set up Langeloh's game-winning field goal.

USC took the ensuing kickoff and drove to the MSU 30, but Peete fumbled away the center snap and Todd Krumm recovered. John Miller iced the game for the Spartans, intercepting Peete's "Hail Mary" pass at the MSU 13 with only :03 left.

USC dominated the final stats, outgaining MSU, 410-276, in total yards but the Trojans committed five turnovers while the Spartans managed to play error-free football. White gained a game-high 113 yards rushing and scored twice.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
USC (8-4)	3	0	7	7	-	17
Michigan State (9-2-1)	7	7	0	6	-	20

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

USC (3-0)	Quin Rodriguez 34-yard field goal, 7:28 left Drive: 12 plays, 52 yards
MSU (7-3)	Lorenzo White 5-yard run (John Langeloh kick), 0:54 left Drive: 15 plays, 76 yards

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (14-3)	Lorenzo White 3-yard run (John Langeloh kick), 9:20 left Drive: 6 plays, 80 yards

THIRD QUARTER

USC (10-14)	Ken Henry 33-yard pass from Rodney Peete (Quin Rodriguez kick), 9:34 left Drive: 6 plays, 70 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (17-10)	John Langeloh 40-yard field goal, 12:39 left Drive: 9 plays, 45 yards
USC (17-17)	Ken Henry 22-yard pass from Rodney Peete (Quin Rodriguez kick), 8:33 left Drive: 10 plays, 80 yards
MSU (20-17)	John Lengeloh 36-yard field goal, 4:14 left Drive: 9 plays, 54 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	USC	MSU
First Downs	21	11
Rushes-Yards	34-161	60-148
Passing Yards	249	128
Passes (C-A-I)	22-42-4	4-7-0
Total Offense	76-410	67-276
Punts-Avg.	4-45.0	8-47.1
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-20	5-32

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

USC: Rodney Peete 11-54, Leroy Holt 10-44, Scott Lockwood 6-41, Randy Tanner 2-10, Kevin McLean 1-8, Ricky Ervins 4-4; **MSU:** Lorenzo White 35-113, Blake Ezor 11-25, James Moore 1-9, Joe Pugh 1-2, Bobby McAllister 12-(-1).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

USC: Rodney Peete 22-41-3-249; Kevin McLean 0-1-1-0; **MSU:** Bobby McAllister 4-7-0-128.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

USC: Paul Green 7-58, Ken Henry 3-66, John Jackson 3-50, Leroy Holt 3-17, Scott Lockwood 2-19, Erik Affholter 2-17, Randy Tanner 1-5, Ricky Ervins 1-7; **MSU:** Andre Rison 2-91, Willie Bouyer 1-29, Mike Sargent 1-8.

1989 GATOR BOWL • GEORGIA 34, MICHIGAN STATE 27

1989 Gator Bowl
Jan. 1, 1989 • Jacksonville, Fla.
Gator Bowl • Att: 76,236

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. - Wayne Johnson threw three touchdown passes and Rodney Hampton scored three times to lead Georgia to a 34-27 win over Michigan State in the 1989 Gator Bowl. Georgia head coach Vince Dooley went out a winner in his final game in 25 seasons. The loss ended MSU's six-game winning streak.

The Bulldogs jumped out to a 17-0 lead on Johnson's 6-yard TD toss to Hampton, Steve Crumley's 39-yard field goal and Johnson's 30-yard TD strike to Hampton.

The Spartans got on the scoreboard late in the first half as Bobby McAllister finished off a 10-play, 80-yard drive with a 4-yard TD pass to Andre Rison.

Midway through the third quarter, Georgia put together a six-play, 64-yard drive to extend its lead to 24-7 on Kirk Warner's 18-yard TD catch from Johnson.

MSU responded with an eight-play, 78-yard scoring drive as McAllister hit Rison with a 55-yard bomb.

A 36-yard field goal by Crumley gave the Bulldogs a 27-13 advantage with 2:16 left in the third quarter.

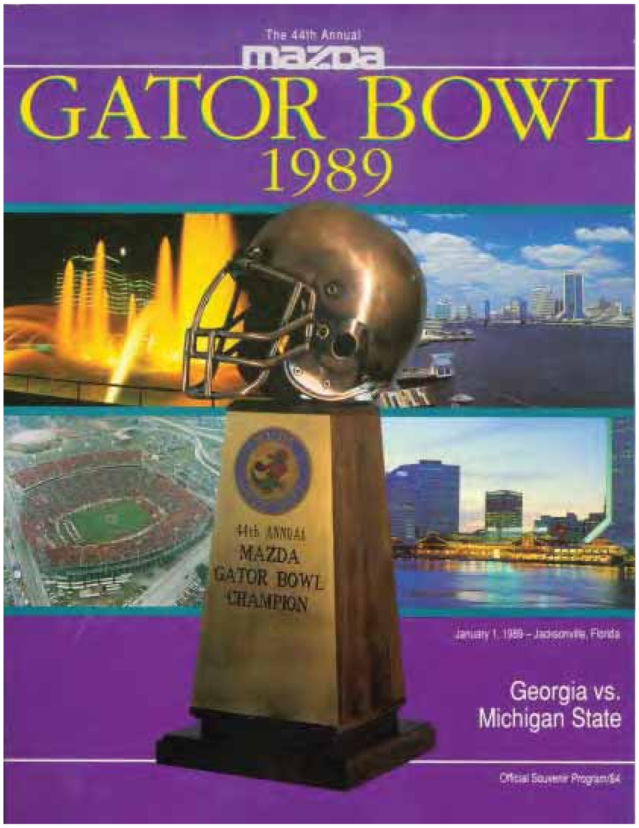
McAllister's 51-yard completion to Rison set up Blake Ezor's 3-yard TD run early in the fourth quarter as the Spartans pulled to within 27-20.

Hampton's third TD, a 32-yard run, gave Georgia a 34-20 lead with 11:58 remaining.

Rison scored on a 50-yard pass from McAllister late in the fourth quarter, but the Spartans' rally fell short as Georgia controlled the clock for the final 3:42 of the game.

The two teams combined for 855 total yards with the Spartans outgaining the Bulldogs, 446-409.

Rison caught nine passes for 252 yards and three scores. McAllister hit 14-of-24 throws for 288 yards and three TDs, while Ezor led all rushers with 146 yards on 33 attempts.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (6-5-1)	0	7	6	14	-	27
Georgia (9-3)	7	10	10	7	-	34

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

UGA (7-0)	Rodney Hampton 6-yard pass from Wayne Johnson (John Kasay kick), 0:01 left Drive: 8 plays, 45 yards

SECOND QUARTER

UGA (10-0)	Steve Crumley 39-yard field goal, 11:00 left Drive: 7 plays, 39 yards
UGA (17-0)	Rodney Hampton 30-yard pass from Wayne Johnson (John Kasay kick), 7:06 left Drive: 5 plays, 74 yards
MSU (7-17)	Andre Rison 4-yard pass from Bobby McAllister (John Langeloh kick), 2:55 left Drive:10 plays, 80 yards

THIRD QUARTER

UGA (24-7)	Kirk Warner 18-yard pass from Wayne Johnson (John Kasay kick), 7:48 left Drive: 6 plays, 64 yards
MSU (13-24)	Andre Rison 55-yard pass from Bobby McAllister (kick failed), 3:55 left Drive: 8 plays, 78 yards
UGA (27-13)	Steve Crumley 36-yard field goal, 2:16 left Drive: 7 plays, 51 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU (20-27)	Blake Ezor 3-yard run (John Langeloh kick), 14:24 left Drive: 8 plays, 80 yards
UGA (34-20)	Rodney Hampton 32-yard run (John Kasay kick), 11:58 left Drive: 6 plays, 71 yards
MSU (27-34)	Andre Rison 50-yard pass from Bobby McAllister (John Langeloh kick), 3:49 left Drive: 15 plays, 82 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	UGA
First Downs	22	22
Rushes-Yards	51-158	38-182
Passing Yards	288	227
Passes (C-A-I)	14-24-0	15-27-0
Total Offense	75-446	65-409
Punts-Avg.	6-42.8	4-34.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	8-102	5-25

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

MSU: Blake Ezor 33-146, Scott Selzer 5-13, Bobby McAllister 13-(-1); UGA: Rodney Hampton10-109, Tim Worley 11-30, Wayne Johnson 14-30, Keith Henderson 3-13.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

MSU: Bobby McAllister 14-24-0-288; UGA: Wayne Johnson 15-27-0-227.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

MSU: Andre Rison 9-252, Steve Montgomery 4-21, Bernard Wilson 1-15; UGA: Rodney Hampton 4-71, Tim Worley 3-36, Kirk Warner 3-28, Keith Henderson 2-53, Sean Hummings.

1989 ALOHA BOWL • NO. 22 MICHIGAN STATE 33, NO. 25 HAWAII 13

1989 Aloha Bowl
Dec. 25,1989 • Honolulu, Hawaii
Aloha Stadium • Att: 50,000

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Hawaii (9-3-1)	0	0	6	7	-	13
Michigan State (8-4)	6	13	0	14	-	33

HONOLULU, Hawaii - Blake Ezor rushed for 179 yards and scored three touchdowns to lead No. 22 Michigan State to a 33-13 victory over No. 25 Hawaii in the 1989 Aloha Bowl.

Michigan State scored its first 26 points off Rainbow Warrior turnovers. The Spartans jumped out to a 19-0 halftime lead on TD runs of 3 and 2 yards by Ezor and field goals of 30 and 34 yards by John Langeloh.

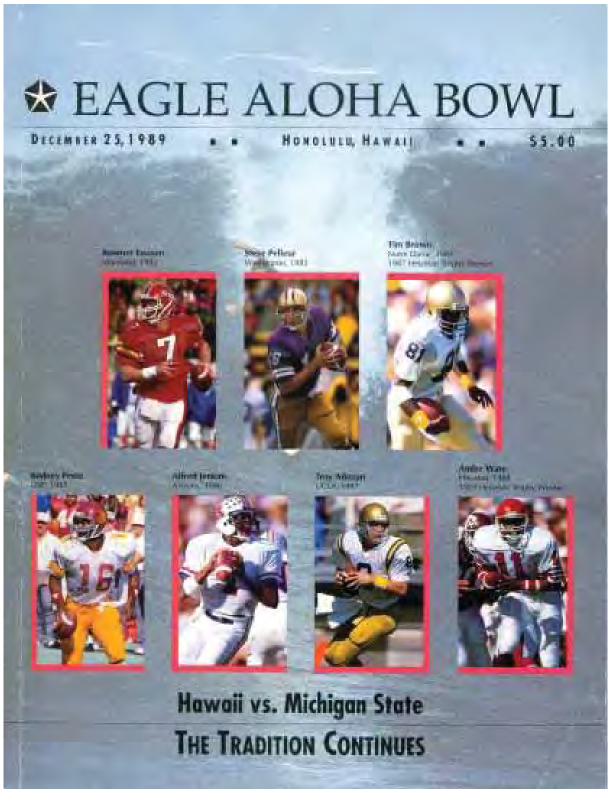
Michigan State forced six turnovers in the first half and outgained the Rainbow Warriors, 205-102, in total yards.

Hawaii took the second-half kickoff and a 10-play, 74-yard drive ended with Garrett Gabriel's 11-yard TD toss to Chris Roscoe.

Mike Iaquaniello's second interception set up Michigan State's third touchdown, a 1-yard dive by Hyland Hickson with 10:13 left in the fourth quarter, as the Spartans moved out to a 26-6 lead.

Hawaii answered with a score on its next possession as Gabriel hooked up with Dane McArthur for a 23-yard TD pass.

The Spartans put the game away as Ezor raced 26 yards around right end for his third touchdown with 5:36 left in the game. Ezor gained 101 yards rushing in the second half on 18 carries.



SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
MSU (6-0) Blake Ezor 3-yard run (kick blocked), 3:59 left
Drive: 10 plays, 65 yards

SECOND QUARTER
MSU (13-0) Blake Ezor 2-yard run (John Langeloh kick), 14:53 left
Drive: 7 plays, 48 yards
MSU (16-0) John Langeloh 30-yard field goal, 7:15 left
Drive: 10 plays, 74 yards
MSU (19-0) John Langeloh 34-yard field goal, 1:02 left
Drive: 7 plays, 2 yards

THIRD QUARTER
UH (6-19) Chris Roscoe 11-yard pass from Garrett Gabriel (kick blocked), 9:45 left
Drive: 10 plays, 74 yards

FOURTH QUARTER
MSU (26-6) Hyland Hickson 1-yard run (John Langeloh kick), 10:13 left,
Drive: 9 plays, 57 yards
UH (13-26) Dane McArthur 23-yard pass from Garrett Gabriel (Zehrin Khan kick), 8:07 left
Drive: 8 plays, 67 yards
MSU (33-13) Blake Ezor 26-yard run (John Langeloh kick), 5:36 left
Drive: 4 plays, 48 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	UH	MSU
First Downs	19	21
Rushes-Yards	28-82	61-225
Passing Yards	198	116
Passes (C-A-I)	20-33-4	7-12-2
Total Offense	61-280	73-341
Punts-Avg.	1-27.0	3-50.7
Fumbles-Lost	7-4	0-0
Penalties-Yards	3-30	9-85

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
UH: Dane McArthur 2-34, Dan Ahuna 3-21, Jamal Farmer 8-18, Ken Niumatalolo 3-15, Jeff Snyder 2-14, Jeff Newman 1-(-10), Garrett Gabriel 8-(-13); MSU: Blake Ezor 41-179, Courtney Hawkins 1-31, Tico Duckett 4-18, Hyland Hickson 3-13, Dan Enos 12-(-16).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)
UH: Garrett Gabriel 19-31-3-197, Ken Niumatalolo 1-2-1-1; MSU: Dan Enos 7-12-2-116.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
UH: Chris Roscoe 6-71, Jamal Farmer 5-25, Leonard Lau 2-34, Dane McArthur 2-25, Darrick Branch 2-22, Jeff Snyder 2-15, Dan Ahuna 1-6; MSU: James Bradley 4-85, Hyland Hickson 1-13, Duane Young 1-11, Blake Ezor 1-7.

1990 SUN BOWL • NO. 22 MICHIGAN STATE 17, NO. 21 USC 16

1990 Sun Bowl
Dec. 31, 1990 • El Paso, Texas
Sun Bowl • Att: 50,562

EL PASO, Texas - Courtney Hawkins accounted for 216 all-purpose yards and caught a touchdown pass to lead No. 22 Michigan State to a 17-16 win over No. 21 Southern Cal in the 1990 Sun Bowl.

MSU dodged a bullet early as Mike Iaquaniello intercepted a Todd Marinovich pass in the end zone on USC's first series.

Late in the first quarter, the Trojans put together an eight-play, 60-yard drive to take a 7-0 lead on Marinovich's 7-yard pass to Gary Wellman.

After a Spartan fumble, USC was again knocking on the door, but on a fourth-and-inches play from inside the MSU 1, Marinovich mishandled the snap from center and Alan Haller recovered the fumble in the end zone for a touchback. MSU took advantage of the turnover and Hyland Hickson capped a 10-play, 80-yard drive with an 18-yard TD run with 2:22 left in the first half.

USC opened the second half with an 18-play, 80-yard drive that lasted nine minutes but it had to settle for a 20-yard field goal from Quin Rodriguez.

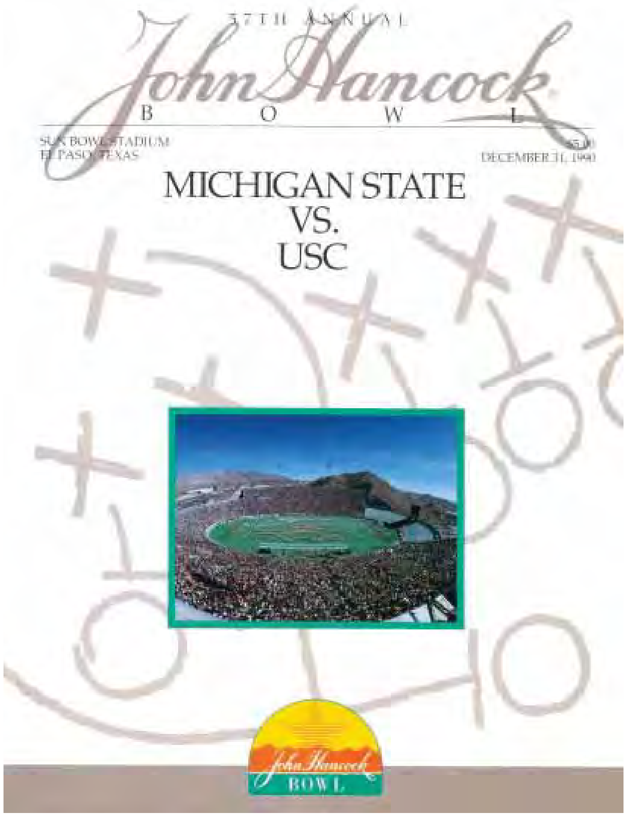
The Spartans responded by scoring 10-straight points. On a third-and-13 play from the MSU 26, Dan Enos hit Hawkins on a post pattern for a 41-yard gain and a first down at the USC 33. Four plays later, Hawkins scored on a 21-yard pass from Enos that gave MSU its first lead at 14-10.

Freddie Wilson's interception at the USC 34 late in the third quarter led to a 52-yard field goal by John Langeloh as the Spartans built a 17-10 advantage.

The Trojans got field goals of 54 and 43 yards from Rodriguez in the fourth quarter to cut the deficit to 17-16.

MSU iced the game with two rushing first downs in the final three minutes.

Hawkins caught six passes for 106 yards and a score to earn Sun Bowl MVP honors. Enos connected on 9-of-17 throws for 131 yards, including eight-straight completions during one stretch.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
USC (8-4-1)	7	0	3	6	-	16
Michigan State (8-3-1)	0	7	10	0	-	17

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
USC (7-0) Gary Wellman 7-yard pass from Todd Marinovich (Quin Rodriguez kick), 0:54 left
Drive: 8 plays, 60 yards

SECOND QUARTER
MSU (7-7) Hyland Hickson 18-yard run (John Lenageloh kick), 2:22 left
Drive: 10 plays, 80 yards

THIRD QUARTER
USC (10-7) Quin Rodriguez 20-yard field goal, 6:00 left
Drive: 18 plays, 80 yards
MSU (14-10) Courtney Hawkins 21-yard pass from Dan Enos (John Langeloh kick), 2:53 left
Drive: 7 plays, 71 yards
MSU (17-10) John Langeloh 52-yard field goal, 0:42 left
Drive: 4 plays, -1 yards

FOURTH QUARTER
USC (13-17) Quin Rodriguez 54-yard field goal, 13:07 left
Drive: 9 plays, 43 yards
USC (16-17) Quin Rodriguez 43-yard field goal, 3:07 left
Drive: 12 plays, 31 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	USC	MSU
First Downs	21	12
Rushes-Yards	44-156	35-84
Passing Yards	180	131
Passes (C-A-I)	19-32-3	9-17-1
Total Offense	76-336	52-215
Punts-Avg.	1-50.0	5-38.6
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	5-45	6-54

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
USC: Mazio Royster 32-125, Scott Lockwood 5-18, Curtis Conway 1-7, Deon Strother 1-3, Shane Foley 4-2, Todd Marinovich 1-1; MSU: Hyland Hickson 14-68, Tico Duckett 8-18, Dan Enos 12-1, Brice Abrams 1-(-3).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)
USC: Todd Marinovich 18-30-3-174, Shane Foley 1-2-0-6; MSU: Dan Enos 9-17-1-131.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
USC: Scott Lockwood 5-41, Johnnie Morton 3-36, Frank Griffin 3-22, Gary Wellman 3-19, Bob Crane 2-20, Joel Scott 1-24, Mazio Royster 1-16, Deon Strother 1-2; MSU: Courtney Hawkins 6-106, Rob Roy 2-14, James Bradley 1-11.

1993 LIBERTY BOWL • LOUISVILLE 18, MICHIGAN STATE 7

1993 Liberty Bowl
Dec. 28, 1993 • Memphis, Tenn.
Liberty Bowl • Att: 34,216

MEMPHIS, Tenn. - Jeff Brohm completed 19-of-29 passes for 197 yards and a touchdown to lead Louisville to an 18-7 win over Michigan State in the 1993 Liberty Bowl.

Michigan State's only touchdown came on the game's first series. The Spartans took the opening kickoff and drove 79 yards in 11 plays with Duane Goulbourne twisting into the end zone on a 1-yard run over left guard. Spartan QB Jim Miller started with a hot hand, hitting all four pass attempts for 50 yards on the first series.

Louisville also scored on its first possession as an eight-play, 56-yard march ended with David Akers' 31-yard field goal.

Midway through the second quarter, the Spartans missed out on a scoring chance when Bill Stoyanovich misfired on a 31-yard field-goal attempt.

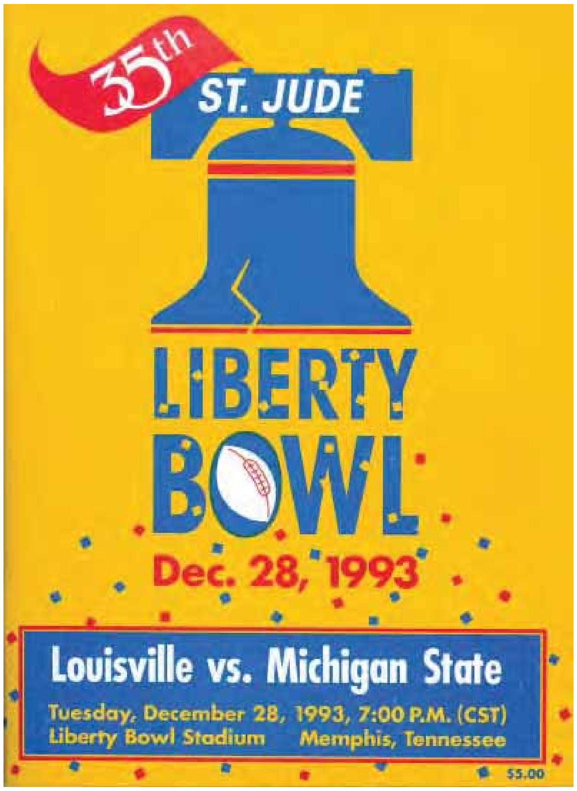
Louisville put together a 14-play, 74-yard drive in the third quarter, but failed to put points on the scoreboard as Akers missed a 23-yard field-goal try.

Brohm directed a seven-play, 59-yard drive for the go-ahead score early in the fourth quarter, hitting Reggie Ferguson on a crossing pattern for a 25-yard TD pass.

A 24-yard interception return by Darius Watson gave Louisville the ball back at the MSU 33 but seven plays later, the Spartan defense stopped Anthony Shelman short of the goal line on fourth-and-1.

The Cardinals got two points back on the next play as Joe Johnson and Tyrus McCloud tackled Spartan tailback Craig Thomas in his own end zone for a safety.

Louisville iced the game with a seven-play, 54-yard drive as Ralph Dawkins scored on an 11-yard sweep around right end.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LIBERTY
BOWL
Dec. 28, 1993
Louisville vs. Michigan State
Tuesday, December 28, 1993, 7:00 P.M. (CST)
Liberty Bowl Stadium Memphis, Tennessee
$5.00

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (6-6)	7	0	0	0	-	7
Louisville (9-3)	3	0	0	15	-	18

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

MSU (7-0) Duane Goulbourne 1-yard run (Bill Stoyanovich kick), 10:10 left,
Drive: 11 plays, 79 yards

UL (3-7) David Akers 31-yard field goal, 7:07 left,
Drive: 8 plays, 56 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

UL (10-7) Reggie Ferguson 25-yard pass from Jeff Brohm (David Akers kick), 12:05 left
Drive: 7 plays, 59 yards

UL (12-7) Safety, Craig Thomas tackled in end zone
by Joe Johnson and Tyrus McCloud, 8:53 left

UL (18-7) Ralph Dawkins 11-yard run (kick failed), 4:57 left
Drive: 7 plays, 54 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	UL
First Downs	18	20
Rushes-Yards	31-114	40-172
Passing Yards	193	197
Passes (C-A-I)	28-15-1	31-19-0
Total Offense	59-307	71-369
Punts-Avg.	5-29.0	5-36.2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-60	6-45

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

MSU: Duane Goulbourne 19-63, Craig Thomas 10-57, Steve Holman 1-1, Jim Miller 1-(-7); UL: Ralph Dawkins 14-88, Anthony Shelman 17-59, Jeff Brohm 9-25.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

MSU: Jim Miller 15-28-1-193; UL: Jeff Brohm 19-29-0-197, Marty Lowe 0-2-0-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

MSU: Mill Coleman 6-100, Scott Greene 4-49, Duane Goulbourne 3-11, Napoleon Outlaw 1-18, Brice Abrams 1-15; UL: Ralph Dawkins 8-68, Jamie Asher 4-15, Reggie Ferguson 3-68, Chris Fitzpatrick 2-17, Aaron Bailey 1-16, Kwalee Cooper 1-13.

1995 INDEPENDENCE BOWL • LSU 45, MICHIGAN STATE 26

1995 Independence Bowl
Dec. 29, 1995 • Shreveport, La.
Independence Stadium • Att: 48,835

SHREVEPORT, La. - Kevin Faulk rushed for 234 yards on 25 carries and scored twice to lead Louisiana State to a 45-26 victory over Michigan State in the 1995 Independence Bowl.

Michigan State got out of the gate early, scoring on the second play from scrimmage as Tony Banks hooked up with Muhsin Muhammad for a 78-yard touchdown pass.

LSU also scored on its first possession as Kendall Cleveland capped a seven-play, 80-yard drive with a 6-yard TD run to tie the score at 7.

Carl Reaves' 17-yard interception return set up the Spartans' second touchdown, a 3-yard run by Scott Greene for a 13-7 lead.

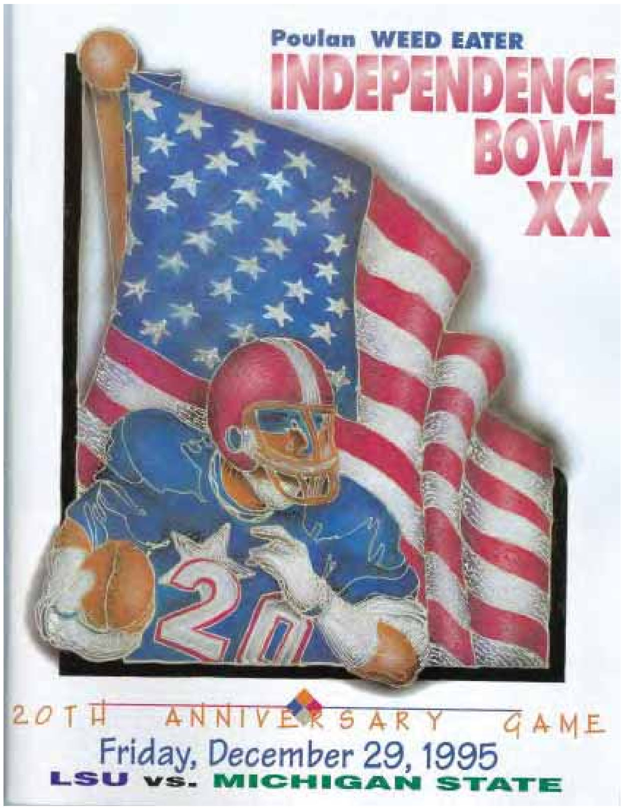
Michigan State's lead lasted only 14 seconds as Eddie Kennison returned the ensuing kickoff 92 yards for a touchdown.

The Spartans regained the lead 13 seconds later when Derrick Mason returned the kickoff 100 yards for a score.

Faulk's 33-yard kickoff return gave LSU great field position at its own 43 and two plays later, he tied the game at 21 on a 51-yard TD run.

Michigan State took a 24-21 lead into the locker room at halftime thanks to Chris Gardner's 37-yard field goal with :01 left in the first half.

LSU took control of the game in the third quarter, scoring three TDs in the first 7:16. Herb Tyler's 49-yard completion to Kennison set up Faulk's second TD run, a 5-yarder. Five minutes later, Gabe Northern returned a fumble 35 yards for a touchdown as Banks lost the ball while being sacked. Three plays later, Allen Stansbury intercepted a Banks pass and returned it 15 yards to the MSU 14. Less than a minute later, Kennison scored on a 27-yard strike from Tyler as the Tigers built a 42-24 advantage.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
LSU (7-4-1)	7	14	21	3	-	45
Michigan State (6-5-1)	7	17	0	2	-	26

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

MSU (7-0)	Mushin Muhammad 78-yard pass from Tony Banks (Chris Gardner kick), 14:13 left
	Drive:2 plays, 80 yards
LSU (7-7)	Kendall Cleveland 6-yard run (Andre' Lafleur kick), 12:07 left
	Drive: 7 plays, 80 yards

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (13-7)	Scott Greene 3-yard run (kick blocked), 14:44 left
	Drive: 1 play, 3 yards
LSU (14-13)	Eddie Kenison 92-yard kickoff return (Andre' Lafleur kick), 14:30 left
MSU (21-14)	Derrick Mason 100-yard kickoff return (Scott Greene run), 14:17 left
LSU (21-21)	Kevin Faulk 51-yard run (Andre' Lafleur kick), 13:11 left
	Drive: 2 plays, 57 yards
MSU (24-21)	Chris Gardner 37-yard field goal, 0:01 left
	Drive: 9 plays, 42 yards

THIRD QUARTER

LSU (28-24)	Kevin Faulk 5-yard run (Andre' Lafleur kick), 14:29 left
	Drive: 2 plays, 74 yards
LSU (35-24)	Gabe Northern 37-yard fumble return (Andre' Lafleur kick), 9:20 left
LSU (42-24)	Eddie Kennison 27-yard pass from Herb Tyler (Andre' Lafleur kick), 7:13 left
	Drive: 3 plays, 14 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

LSU (45-24)	Wade Richey 48-yard field goal, 8:45 left
	Drive: 8 plays, 18 yards
MSU (26-45)	Safety, LSU punter Chad Kessler stepped out of end zone, 5:57 left

TEAM STATISTICS	LSU	MSU
First Downs	17	23
Rushes-Yards	48-272	35-100
Passing Yards	164	348
Passes (C-A-I)	10-20-1	22-44-3
Total Offense	68-436	79-448
Punts-Avg.	4-44.5	6-37.5
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	4-3
Penalties-Yards	5-42	9-80

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

LSU: Kevin Faulk 25-234, Kendall Cleveland 13-23, Robert Toomer 4-13, Eddie Kennison 1-6, Herb Tyler 4-(-1), Chad Kessler 1-(-3); **MSU:** Marc Renaud 16-79, Scott Greene 8-48, Tyrone Crenshaw 1-1, Tony Banks 10-(-28).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

LSU: Herb Tyler 10-20-1-164; **MSU:** Tony Banks 22-44-3-348.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

LSU: Eddie Kennison 5-124, David LaFleur 2-31, Robert Toomer 1-9, Kevin Faulk 1-4, Kendall Cleveland 1-(-4); **MSU:** Muhsin Muhammad 9-171, Derrick Mason 6-74, Marc Renaud 2-47, Napoleon Outlaw 2-24, Nigea Carter 2-16, Josh Keur 1-16.

1996 SUN BOWL • STANFORD 38, MICHIGAN STATE 0

1996 Sun Bowl
Dec. 31, 1996 • El Paso, Texas
Sun Bowl • Att: 42,721

EL PASO, Texas - Sun Bowl MVP Chad Hutchinson completed 22-of-28 passes for 226 yards and directed four scoring drives to lead Stanford to a 38-0 victory over Michigan State in the 1996 Sun Bowl. Stanford closed out the 1996 season with five-straight wins and recorded its first shutout since '74.

Late in the first quarter, Josh Madsen intercepted Todd Schultz at the Stanford 21 and lateraled the ball to Leroy Pruitt who carried it 50 yards for the score.

Hutchinson finished off an eight-play, 75-yard drive with an 8-yard TD pass to Jon Ritchie with 10:44 left in the second quarter to make it 14-0 in favor of Stanford.

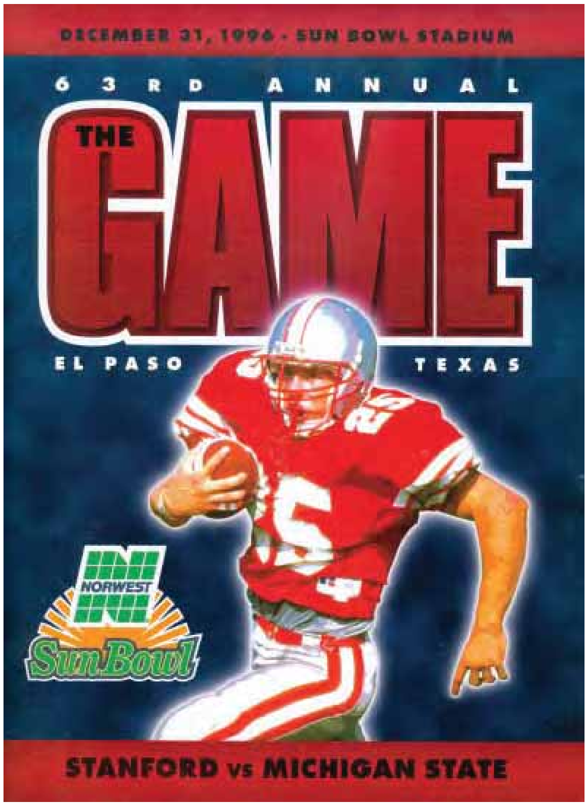
Troy Walters' 24-yard punt return to midfield set up another first-half touchdown. Three plays later, Adam Salina scored on a 1-yard run to give the Cardinal a 21-0 halftime lead.

A 16-play, 71-yard drive produced a 25-yard field goal by Kevin Miller midway through the third quarter.

Stanford moved out to a 31-0 lead as Damon Dunn took a double reverse 27 yards for a TD with 3:05 remaining in the third quarter.

Tim Smith returned a blocked punt 9 yards for a TD to complete the scoring early in the fourth quarter.

Stanford held Michigan State to a season-low 219 total yards and forced five turnovers.


DECEMBER 31, 1996 - SUN BOWL STADIUM
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Sun Bowl
STANFORD vs MICHIGAN STATE

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Stanford (7-5)	7	14	10	7	-	38
Michigan State (6-6)	0	0	0	0	-	0

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
STAN (7-0) Leroy Pruitt 50-yard lateral return after Josh Madsen interception (Kevin Miller kick), 2:06 left

SECOND QUARTER
STAN (14-0) Jon Ritchie 8-yard pass from Chad Hutchinson (Kevin Miller kick), 10:44 left Drive: 8 plays, 75 yards
STAN (21-0) Adam Salina 1-yard run (Kevin Miller kick), 0:37 left, Drive: 3 plays, 50 yards

THIRD QUARTER
STAN (24-0) Kevin Miller 25-yard field goal, 7:05 left Drive: 16 plays, 71 yards
STAN (31-0) Damon Dunn 27-yard run (Kevin Miller kick), 3:05 left Drive: 5 plays, 53 yards

FOURTH QUARTER
STAN (38-0) Tim Smith 9-yard blocked punt return (Kevin Miller kick), 12:06 left

TEAM STATISTICS	STAN	MSU
First Downs	25	13
Rushes-Yards	49-257	31-68
Passing Yards	238	151
Passes (C-A-I)	23-30-1	13-33-3
Total Offense	79-495	64-219
Punts-Avg.	2-52.5	9-41.9
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	3-2
Penalties-Yards	1-10	5-30

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
STAN: Anthony Bookman 11-103, Mike Mitchell 16-74, Damon Dunn 1-27, Troy Walters 1-8, Jon Ritchie 2-4, Adam Salina 2-(-1), Chad Hutchinson 7-(-8); **MSU:** Duane Goulbourne 12-51, Sedrick Irvin 9-31, Bill Burke 5-2, Todd Schultz 5-(-16).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)
STAN: Chad Hutchinson 22-28-1-226, Todd Husak 1-2-0-12; **MSU:** Bill Burke 4-7-0-71, Todd Schultz 8-21-2-68, Gus Ornstein 1-4-1-12, Sedrick Irvin 0-1-0-0.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
STAN: Jon Ritchie 5-37, Damon Dunn 4-63, Brian Manning 3-42, Andre Kirwan 3-35, Greg Clark 3-30, Mike Mitchell 2(-11), Marlon Evans 1-26, Troy Walters 1-9, Adam Salina 1-7; **MSU:** Derrick Mason 4-43, Octavis Long 2-46, Nigea Carter 2-34, Sedrick Irvin 2-0, Dwayne Payne 1-12, Garett Gould 1-10, Josh Keur 1-6.

1997 ALOHA BOWL • NO. 21 WASHINGTON 51, NO. 25 MICHIGAN STATE 23

1997 Aloha Bowl
Dec. 25, 1997 • Honolulu, Hawaii
Aloha Stadium • Att: 44,598

HONOLULU, Hawaii - Aloha Bowl MVP Rashaan Shehee rushed for 193 yards and scored twice to lead No. 21 Washington to a 51-23 victory over No. 25 Michigan State.

The Huskies jumped out to a 14-0 lead on Shehee's 33-yard run and a 15-yard pass from Brock Huard to Fred Coleman.

Michigan State put together a six-play, 73-yard drive to pull to within a touchdown as Gari Scott scored on a 12-yard strike from Todd Schultz.

Washington moved out to a 24-7 lead on Huard's second TD toss to Coleman, a 22-yarder, and a 41-yard field goal from Nick Lentz.

Tony Parrish returned an interception 56 yards to give the Huskies a 31-10 halftime lead.

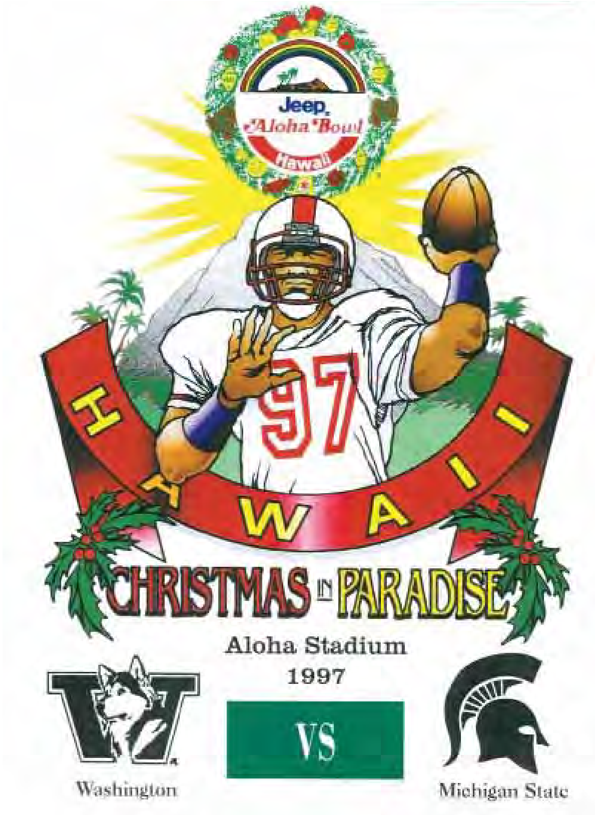
Washington opened the second half with an 11-play, 80-yard drive with Shehee scoring on a 15-yard run.

Leroy McFadden's 59-yard kickoff return set up MSU's second touchdown, a 28-yard pass from Schultz to Scott with 8:11 left in the third quarter.

Mike Reed's 64-yard TD run on a fake punt and Lester Towns' 66-yard interception return put the Huskies on top 51-17.

The Spartans reached the end zone again with just two seconds left in the game as Bill Burke lofted a 21-yard TD pass to Lavaile Richardson.

Washington produced 477 total yards, including 298 on the ground, while limiting Michigan State to a season-low 47 yards rushing. The Huskies' 51 points marked the most ever allowed by the Spartans in a bowl game.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Washington (8-5)	14	17	13	7	-	51
Michigan State (7-5)	7	3	7	6	-	23

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

UW (7-0)	Rashaan Shehee 33-yard run (NIck Lentz kick), 13:57 left Drive: 2 plays, 32 yards
UW (14-0)	Fred Coleman 15-yard pass from Brock Huard (Nick Lentz kick), 8:47 left Drive: 9 plays, 70 yards
MSU (7-14)	Gari Scott 12-yard pass from Todd Schultz (Paul Edinger kick), 4:19 left Drive: 6 plays, 73 yards

SECOND QUARTER

UW (21-7)	Fred Coleman 22-yard pass from Brock Huard (Nick Lentz kick), 14:16 left Drive: 11 plays, 80 yards
UW (24-7)	Nick Lentz 41-yard field goal, 4:41 left Drive: 13 plays, 57 yards
MSU (10-24)	Paul Edinger 43-yard field goal, 1:50 left Drive: 8 plays, 50 yards
UW (31-10)	Tony Parrish 56-yard interception return (Nick Lentz kick), 0:18 left

THIRD QUARTER

UW (38-10)	Rashaan Shehee 15-yard run (Nick Lentz kick), 9:10 left Drive: 11 plays, 80 yards
MSU (17-38)	Gari Scott 28-yard pass from Todd Schultz (Paul Edinger kick), 8:11 left Drive: 3 plays, 28 yards
UW (44-17)	Mike Reed 64-yard run (kick failed), 5:47 left Drive: 6 plays, 75 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

UW (51-17)	Lester Towns 66-yard interception return (Nick Lentz kick), 10:02 left
MSU (23-51)	Lavaile Richardson 21-yard pass from Bill Burke (kick failed), 0:02 left Drive: 4 plays, 35 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	UW	MSU
First Downs	23	15
Rushes-Yards	43-298	29-47
Passing Yards	179	296
Passes (C-A-I)	18-30-0	20-35-3
Total Offense	73-477	64-343
Punts-Avg.	6-39.8	3-30.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	6-2
Penalties-Yards	13-126	4-28

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

UW: Rashaan Shehee 29-193, Mike Reed 2-70, Maurice Shaw 6-34, Jason Harris 1-5, Marques Tuiasosopo 1-5, Brock Huard 4-(-9); MSU: Sedrick Irvin 15-59, Leroy McFadden 2-10, Marc Renaud 6-5, Bill Burke 1-(-3), Todd Schultz 5-(-24).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

UW: Brock Huard 18-30-0-179; MSU: Todd Schultz 14-24-0-220, Bill Burke 6-10-0-76.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

UW: Fred Coleman 5-68, Rashaan Shehee 5-8, Jerome Pathon 4-54, Cameron Cleeland 3-46, Mike Reed 1-3; MSU: Gari Scott 5-114, Lavaile Richardson 3-42, Octavis Long 3-36, Kyle Rance 2-33, Marc Renaud 2-24, Damien Hiram 1-24, Demont Smith 1-9, Sedrick Irvin 1-7, Leroy McFadden 1-6, Travis Reece 1-1.

2000 CITRUS BOWL • NO. 9 MICHIGAN STATE 37, NO. 10 FLORIDA 34

2000 Citrus Bowl
Jan. 1, 2000 • Orlando, Fla.
Florida Citrus Bowl Stadium • Att: 62,011

ORLANDO, Fla. - Paul Edinger kicked a 39-yard field goal as time expired to give No. 9 Michigan State a 37-34 victory over No. 10 Florida in the 2000 Florida Citrus Bowl. It marked Michigan State's first New Year's Day bowl victory since the 1988 Rose Bowl and it ended a four-game losing streak in postseason play.

There were five lead changes in the contest. The Spartans opened the scoring as an eight-play, 36-yard drive resulted in a 46-yard field goal by Edinger.

Florida took a 7-3 lead as Travis Taylor scored on a 12-yard toss from Doug Johnson.

Michigan State jumped out to a 17-7 lead in the second quarter on Bill Burke's 37-yard TD strike to Plaxico Burress and a 24-yard fumble return by T.J. Turner.

The Gators pulled to within 17-14 on Johnson's 8-yard TD pass to Taylor.

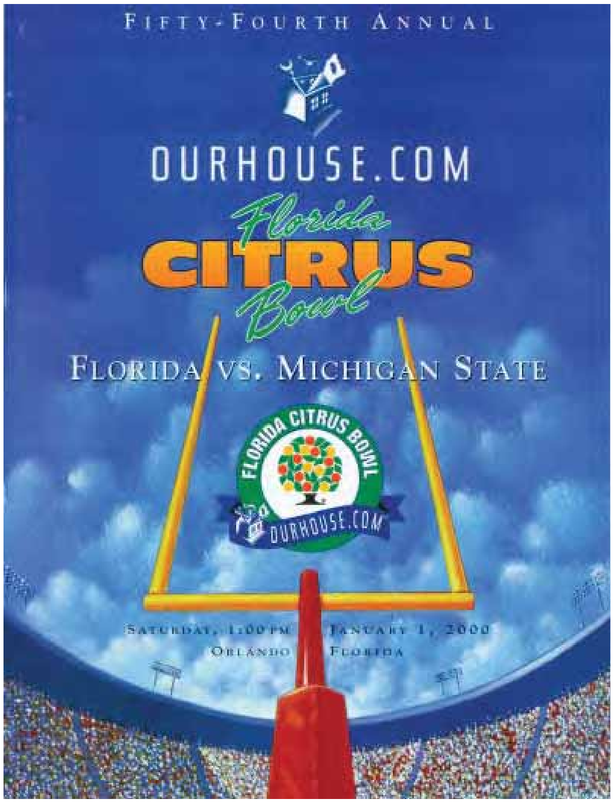
Edinger's second field goal, a 20-yarder, gave the Spartans a 20-14 lead, but Johnson scored on a 1-yard sneak to put Florida ahead at the half, 21-20.

Burke directed a 10-play, 84-yard drive late in the third quarter, hooking up with Burress for a 21-yard scoring pass as MSU grabbed a 26-21 lead.

Florida built a 34-26 lead on Johnson's third TD pass to Taylor, a 39-yarder, and Rob Gillespie's 2-yard TD run.

Michigan State rallied to tie the score at 34 early in the fourth quarter as Burke found Burress alone in the end zone for a 30-yard completion and hit Gari Scott for the two-point conversion.

Lloyd Clemons' 8-yard run on third-and- 2 set up Edinger's game-winning kick from the Florida 22.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (10-2)	3	17	6	11	-	37
Florida (9-4)	7	14	6	7	-	34

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

MSU (3-0)	Paul Edinger 46-yard field goal, 4:41 left Drive: 8 plays, 36 yards
FLA (7-3)	Travis Taylor 12-yard pass from Doug Johnson (Jeff Chandler kick), 0:58 left Drive: 8 plays, 80 yards

SECOND QUARTER

MSU (10-7)	Plaxico Burress 37-yard pass from Bill Burke (Paul Edinger kick), 13:24 left Drive: 6 plays, 72 yards
MSU (17-7)	T.J. Turner 24-yard fumble return (Paul Edinger kick), 12:44 left
FLA (14-17)	Travis Taylor 8-yard pass from Doug Johnson (Jeff Chandler kick), 8:12 left Drive:11 plays, 83 yards
MSU (20-14)	Paul Edinger 20-yard field goal, 3:09 left Drive: 11 plays, 65 yards
FLA (21-20)	Doug Johnson 1-yard run (Jeff Chandler kick) 0:33 left, Drive: 11 plays, 80 yards

THIRD QUARTER

MSU (26-21)	Plaxico Burress 21-yard pass from Bill Burke (pass failed), 1:10 left Drive: 10 plays, 84 yards
FLA (27-26)	Travis Taylor 39-yard pass from Doug Johnson (pass failed), 0:03 left Drive: 5 plays, 53 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

FLA (34-26)	Rob Gillespie 2-yard run (Jeff Chandler kick), 13:27 left Drive: 6 plays, 37 yards
MSU (34-34)	Plaxico Burress 30-yard pass from Bill Burke (Gari Scott pass from Bill Burke), 10:46 left, Drive: 6 plays, 78 yards
MSU (37-34)	Paul Edinger 39-yard field goal, 0:00 left Drive: 6 plays, 33 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	FLA
First Downs	25	27
Rushes-Yards	40-143	30-67
Passing Yards	257	300
Passes (C-A-I)	21-35-2	25-51-0
Total Offense	75-400	81-367
Punts-Avg.	3-43.3	6-35.5
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	4-2
Penalties-Yards	7-80	10-100

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

MSU: Lloyd Clemons 20-105, T.J. Duckett 14-77, Dawan Moss 1-0, Bill Burke 5-(-39); **FLA:** Rob Gillespie 15-74, Bo Carroll 5-14, Reche Caldwell 1-13, Travis Taylor 1-6, Rob Roberts 1-(-1), Doug Johnson 7-(-39).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

MSU: Bill Burke 21-35-2-257; **FLA:** Doug Johnson 24-50-0-288, Darrell Jackson 1-1-0 -12.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

MSU: Plaxico Burress 13-185, Chris Baker 2-21, Little John Flowers 2-(-2), Lavaile Richardson1-18, Dawan Moss 1-16, Gari Scott 1-10, T.J. Duckett 1-9; **FLA:** Travis Taylor 11-156, DarrellJackson 5-61, Alex Willis 4-53, Rob Gillespie 3-13, Doug Johnson 1-12, Erron Kinney 1-5.

2001 SILICON VALLEY BOWL • MICHIGAN STATE 44, NO. 20 FRESNO STATE 35

2001 Silicon Valley Football Classic
Dec. 31, 2001 • San Jose, Calif.
Spartan Stadium • Att: 30,456

SAN JOSE, Calif. - Jeff Smoker threw for a career-high 376 yards and three touchdowns, including two scoring strikes to Charles Rogers, to lead Michigan State to a 44-35 victory over No. 20 Fresno State in the 2001 Silicon Valley Football Classic.

It took Fresno State 59 seconds to put its first touchdown on the scoreboard, a 5-yard TD toss from David Carr to Stephen Spach.

MSU tied the game at 7 on Smoker's 72-yard bomb to Rogers with 6:16 left in the first quarter. The Spartans scored again 22 seconds later to take a 14-7 lead as Monquiz Wedlow recovered a mishandled snap in the end zone.

The Bulldogs pulled even at 14 on Carr's 36-yard TD pass to Rodney Wright.

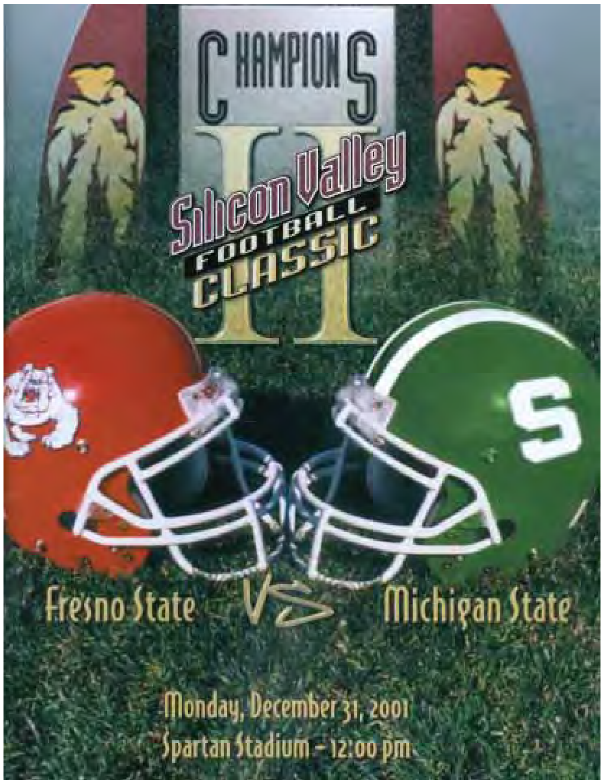
MSU built a 24-14 lead on Dave Rayner's 41-yard field goal and T.J. Duckett's 5-yard TD run.

Fresno State cut its deficit to 24-21 as Carr again hooked up with Wright, this time for a 79-yard scoring play.

MSU responded by scoring 13-straight points to build a 37-21 halftime lead, thanks to Duckett's 39-yard TD run and Smoker's 69-yard TD throw to Rogers.

Midway through the third quarter, Fresno State cut its deficit to 37-28 on a 2-yard TD run by Paris Gaines. A blocked punt set up Fresno State's final score, a 15-yard screen pass from Carr to Gaines, as the Bulldogs rallied to within two at 37-35 with 6:04 remaining.

The Spartans clinched the game with a seven-play, 77-yard drive that resulted in Smoker's third TD pass, a 5-yard toss to Ivory McCoy with 1:59 left.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (7-5)	17	20	0	7	-	44
Fresno State (11-3)	14	7	7	7	-	35

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
FSU (7-0) Stephen Spach 5-yard pass from David Carr (Asen Asparuhov kick), 14:01 left
Drive: 4 plays, 63 yards
MSU (7-7) Charles Rogers 72-yard pass from Jeff Smoker (Dave Rayner kick), 6:16 left
Drive: 1 play, 72 yards
MSU (14-7) Monquiz Wedlow recovers David Carr fumble in end zone
(Dave Rayner kick), 5:54 left
FSU (14-14) Rodney Wright 36-yard pass from David Carr (Asen Asparuhov kick), 3:20 left
Drive: 5 plays, 80 yards
MSU (17-14) Dave Rayner 41-yard field goal, 0:05 left
Drive: 7 plays, 59 yards

SECOND QUARTER
MSU (24-14) T.J. Duckett 5-yard run (Dave Rayner kick), 8:53 left
Drive: 10 plays, 82 yards
FSU (21-24) Rodney White 79-yard pass from David Carr (Asen Asparuhov kick), 7:47 left
Drive: 3 plays, 83 yards
MSU (31-21) T.J. Duckett 39-yard run (Dave Rayner kick), 5:05 left
Drive: 6 plays, 62 yards
MSU (37-21) Charles Rogers 69-yard pass from Jeff Smoker
(Dave Rayner kick failed), 3:05 left, Drive: 1 play, 69 yards

THIRD QUARTER
FSU (28-37) Paris Gaines 2-yard run (Asen Asparuhov kick), 6:54 left
Drive: 11 plays, 82 yards

FOURTH QUARTER
FSU (35-37) Paris Gaines 15-yard pass from David Carr (Asen Asparuhov kick), 6:04 left
Drive: 3 plays, 15 yards
MSU (44-35) Ivory McCoy 5-yard pass from Jeff Smoker (Dave Rayner kick), 1:59 left
Drive: 7 plays, 77 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	FSU
First Downs	23	25
Rushes-Yards	42-210	22-29
Passing Yards	376	531
Passes (C-A-I)	22-32-1	35-58-2
Total Offense	74-586	80-560
Punts-Avg.	6-38.7	5-39.6
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	8-64	6-30

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: T.J. Duckett 27-184, Jeff Smoker 9-17, Little John Flowers 5-11, Team 1-(-2); **FSU:** ParisGaines 10-26, Rodney Wright 2-19, Therrian Fontenot 2-17, Josh Levi 1-6, Team 1-(-6), Bernard Berrian 1-(-10), David Carr 5-(-23).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)
MSU: Jeff Smoker 22-32-1-376; **FSU:** David Carr 35-56-1-531, Team 0-2-0-0.

RECEIVING
MSU: Charles Rogers 10-270, Herb Haygood 5-49, Chris Baker 4-44, Ivory McCoy 2-10, BJ Lovett 1-3; **FSU:** Rodney Wright 13-299, Bernard Berrian 9-94, Charles Smith 5-77, Paris Gaines 2-18, Alec Greco 2-15, Deandre Gilbert 1-15, David Shabaglian 1-11, Stephen Spach 1-5, Marque Davis 1-(-3).

2003 ALAMO BOWL • NO. 22 NEBRASKA 17, MICHIGAN STATE 3

2003 Alamo Bowl
Dec. 29, 2003 • San Antonio, Texas
Alamodome • Att: 56,226

SAN ANTONIO, Texas - Cory Ross rushed for a career-high 138 yards and two scores to lead No. 22 Nebraska to a 17-3 victory over Michigan State in the 2003 MasterCard Alamo Bowl.

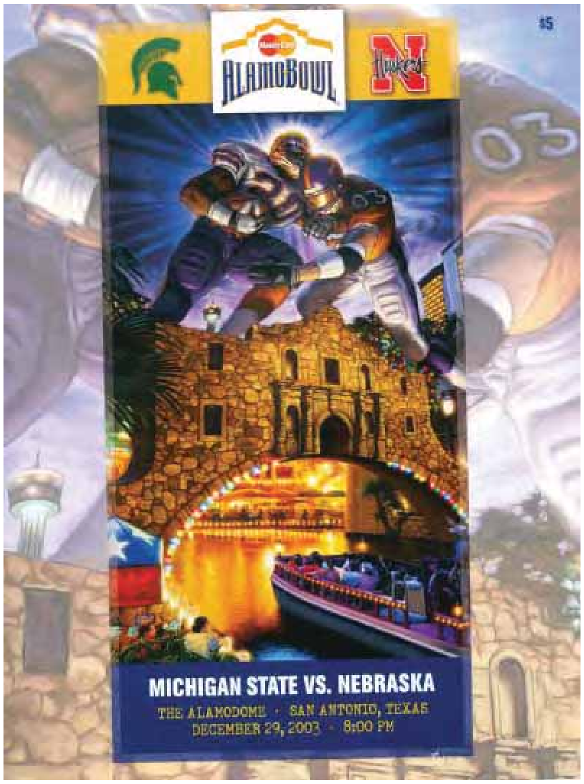
Ross carried the ball seven times for 37 yards on Nebraska's opening drive to set up David Dyches' 29-yard field goal as the Cornhuskers took a 3-0 lead with 8:19 left in the first quarter.

Michigan State answered with a 10-play, 48-yard drive, with Jeff Smoker completing 5-of-6 passes for 43 yards, and pulled even on a 46-yard field goal by Dave Rayner with 3:53 remaining in the first quarter.

Jammal Lord's 58-yard completion to Isaiah Fluellen early in the second quarter gave the Cornhuskers first-and-goal at the MSU 6. Two plays later, Ross scored on a 2-yard run as Nebraska jumped out to a 10-3 lead with 13:17 left in the first half. Late in the second quarter, Lord broke free for a 66-yard gain to the MSU 14. Two plays later, Ross raced 6 yards for a touchdown as the Cornhuskers built a 17-3 lead with 3:20 to play in the first half.

The Spartan defense bounced back in the second half, allowing only 106 total yards while holding Nebraska scoreless. Michigan State's offense came to life midway through the fourth quarter. Smoker completed five-straight passes for 39 yards and Tyrell Dortch gained 16 yards on two running plays as the Spartans marched to the Cornhusker 17. After a personal-foul penalty pushed the Spartans back 15 yards, Pat Ricketts ended the scoring threat when he picked off Smoker's throw intended for Aaron Alexander at the Nebraska 24.

The Cornhuskers limited Michigan State to a season-low 174 total yards – nearly 210 yards below its season average. Nebraska sacked Smoker five times for 37 yards and forced three interceptions.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SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (8-5)	3	0	0	0	-	3
Nebraska (10-3)	3	14	0	0	-	17

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
NEB (3-0) David Dyches 29-yard field goal, 8:19 left
Drive: 11 plays, 47 yards
MSU (3-3) Dave Rayner 46-yard field goal, 3:53 left
Drive: 10 plays, 48 yards

SECOND QUARTER
NEB (10-3) Cory Ross 2-yard run (David Dyches kick), 13:17 left
Drive: 3 plays, 64 yards
NEB (17-3) Cory Ross 6-yard run (David Dyches kick), 3:20 left
Drive: 3 plays, 80 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	NEB
First Downs	13	20
Rushes-Yards	23-18	54-229
Passing Yards	156	160
Passes (C-A-I)	21-39-3	8-17-0
Total Offense	62-174	71-389
Punts-Avg.	8-46.4	7-42.9
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-53	8-69

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Tyrell Dortch 9-31, Jaren Hayes 6-13, Jeff Smoker 8-(-26); NEB: Cory Ross 37-138, Jammal Lord 10-79, Steve Kriewald 2-10, Judd Davies 2-4, Isaiah Fluellen 1-3, Team 2-(-5).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)
MSU: Jeff Smoker 21-39-3-156; NEB: Jammal Lord 8-17-0-160.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Aaron Alexander 8-63, Kyle Brown 4-41, Agim Shabaj 4-31, Jerramy Scott 1-18, Eric Knott 1-10, Ziehl Kavanaght 1-8, Jaren Hayes 1-(-6), Tyrell Dortch 1-(-9); NEB: Isaiah Fluellen 4-84, Ross Pilkington 3-70, Dusty Keiser 1-6.

2007 CHAMPS SPORTS BOWL • NO. 14 BOSTON COLLEGE 24, MICHIGAN STATE 21

2007 Champs Sports Bowl
Dec. 28, 2007 • Orlando, Fla.
Florida Citrus Bowl Stadium • Att: 46,554

ORLANDO, Fla. - Matt Ryan completed 22-of-47 passes for 249 yards and three scores to lead No. 14 Boston College to a 24-21 victory over Michigan State in the 2007 Champs Sports Bowl. The Eagle defense forced five turnovers, including two interceptions by All-American Jamie Silva.

Michigan State started the game with a bang, as Devin Thomas returned the opening kickoff 79 yards to the BC 18. Three plays later, Kellen Davis scored on an 18-yard strike from Brian Hoyer as the Spartans jumped out to a 7-0 lead. A fumble inside the MSU 20 set up BC's first score, a 1-yard toss from Ryan to Jon Loyte that tied the game at 7 with 36 seconds left in the first quarter. Boston College took the lead for good on its next possession as a 10-play, 70-yard drive resulted in Ryan's second TD pass, a 29-yarder to Rich Gunnell, with 8:54 remaining in the second quarter.

Late in the first half, Michigan State caught a break as Johnny Ayers shanked a 12-yard punt that went out of bounds at the BC 30. Three plays netted only 8 yards and the Spartans had to settle for a 39-yard field goal from Brett Swenson to pull to within 14-10.

On its opening possession of the third quarter, Michigan State put together an 11-play, 54-yard drive that resulted in Swenson's 23-yard field goal and cut its deficit to 14-13. Boston College answered on its next series as Steve Aponavicius capped an 11-play, 69-yard drive with a 28-yard field goal to extend its lead to 17-13. Ryan's 68-yard bomb to Gunnell early in the fourth quarter gave the Eagles a 24-13 lead.

Midway through the fourth quarter, Greg Jones sacked Ryan and forced a fumble that Oren Wilson recovered at the BC 37. Three plays later, Hoyer hooked up with Deon Curry for a 14-yard scoring pass as the Spartans rallied to within 24-21 with 6:04 left in the game. Michigan State got the ball back twice in the closing minutes but failed to enter BC territory.

The Spartans outgained Boston College in total yards, 303-276. MSU's Javon Ringer rushed 21 times for 101 yards against the nation's top-ranked rushing defense.

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SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Boston College (11-3)	7	7	3	7	-	24
Michigan State (7-6)	7	3	3	8	-	21

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

MSU (7-0) Kellen Davis 18-yard pass from Brian Hoyer (Brett Swenson kick), 13:23 left
Drive:3 plays, 18 yards

BC (7-7) Jon Loyte 1-yard pass from Matt Ryan (Steve Aponavicius kick), 0:36 left
Drive: 4 plays, 11 yards

SECOND QUARTER

BC (14-7) Rich Gunnell 29-yard pass from Matt Ryan (Steve Aponavicius kick), 8:54 left
Drive: 10 plays, 70 yards

MSU (10-14) Brett Swenson 39-yard field goal, 2:17 left
Drive: 4 plays, 8 yards

THIRD QUARTER

MSU (13-14) Brett Swenson 23-yard field goal, 8:21 left
Drive: 11 plays, 54 yards

BC (17-13) Steve Aponavicius 28-yard field goal, 5:10 left
Drive: 11 plays, 69 yards

FOURTH QUARTER

BC (24-13) Rich Gunnell 68-yard pass from Matt Ryan (Steve Aponavicius kick), 9:21 left
Drive: 3 plays, 80 yards

MSU (21-24) Deon Curry 14-yard pass from Brian Hoyer
(Kellen Davis pass from Brian Hoyer), 6:04 left, Drive: 3 plays, 37 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	BC	MSU
First Downs	17	18
Rushes-Yards	30-27	39-172
Passing Yards	249	131
Passes (C-A-I)	22-47-1	14-36-4
Total Offense	77-276	75-303
Punts-Avg.	9-41.7	6-42.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	3-1
Penalties-Yards	4-22	1-15

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)

BC: Andre Callender 12-33; L.V. Whitworth 7-19; James McCluskey 1-1; Team 1-(-2); Matt Ryan 9-(-24); **MSU:** Javon Ringer 21-101; Jehuu Caulcrick 15-59; Brian Hoyer 2-8; Kellen Davis 1-4.

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)

BC: Matt Ryan 22-47-1-249; **MSU:** Brian Hoyer 14-36-4-131.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)

BC: Rich Gunnell 6-138; Andre Callender 4-15; Brandon Robinson 3-19; Justin Jarvis 2-24; Ryan Purvis 2-18; Clarence Megwa 1-17; James McCluskey 1-9; Kevin Challenger 1-6; L.V. Whitworth 1-2; Jon Loyte 1-1; **MSU:** Kellen Davis 4-38; Devin Thomas 4-34; Deon Curry 2-25; Javon Ringer 1-17; Jehuu Caulcrick 1-6; Mark Dell 1-6; A.J. Jimmerson 1-5.

2009 CAPITAL ONE BOWL • NO. 16 GEORGIA 24, NO. 19 MICHIGAN STATE 12

2009 Capital One Bowl
Jan. 1, 2009 • Orlando, Fla.
Florida Citrus Bowl Stadium • Att: 59,681

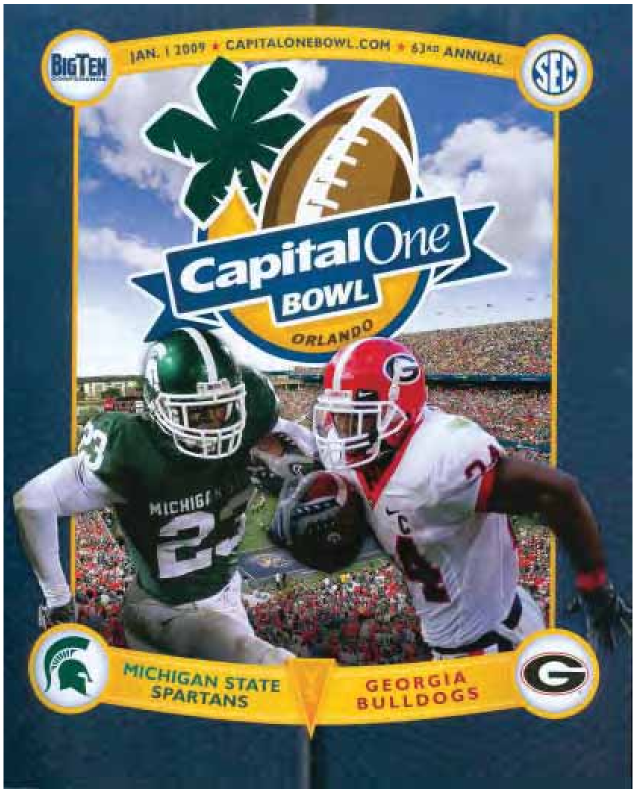
ORLANDO, Fla. - Matthew Stafford completed 20-of-31 throws for 250 yards and three touchdowns to lead No. 16 Georgia to a 24-12 victory over No. 19 Michigan State in the 2009 Capital One Bowl.

Michigan State took the opening kickoff and drove the ball to the Georgia 39-yard line, but Dwayne Holmes was stopped short of a first down on a fake punt. The Bulldogs responded with an eight-play, 48-yard drive of their own and took a 3-0 lead on Blair Walsh's 32-yard field goal with 9:26 left in the first quarter.

Georgia's second possession resulted in a turnover, as Kendell Davis-Clark returned his first career interception 24 yards to set up Brett Swenson's 20-yard field goal that tied the score at 3 with 4:50 to play in the opening quarter. The Spartans forced two turnovers in the first quarter but managed to produce only a field goal. Late in the first half, another Georgia miscue – a mishandled snap by punter Brian Mimbs – gave the Spartans great field position at the UGA 40. However, Michigan State had to settle for a 32-yard field goal from Swenson and a 6-3 halftime lead after Brian Hoyer was sacked by Jarius Wynn for a 5-yard loss on a third-and-6 play from the Bulldog 10.

Georgia's offense came to life in the second half, as Stafford connected on 14-of-17 passes for 179 yards and three scores. Stafford capped off a 10-play, 96-yard drive with a 35-yard TD strike to Michael Moore as the Bulldogs took the lead for good at 10-6 with 3:31 remaining in the third quarter. Prince Miller's 38-yard punt return plus a 15-yard personal-foul penalty set up Stafford's second scoring pass, a 21-yarder to Aaron White with 0:09 to play in the third quarter to build a 17-6 advantage.

Early in the fourth quarter, Michigan State pulled to within 17-12 as Javon Ringer finished off a 10-play, 54-yard drive with a 1-yard plunge for his school-record 22nd TD run of the season. Georgia answered with an 11-play, 67-yard drive and iced the game on Stafford's 21-yard TD toss to Knowshon Moreno, who made the grab over Greg Jones at the front corner of the end zone. The Bulldog defense held Michigan State to a season-low 236 total yards, including just 31 yards on 34 rushing attempts.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Georgia (10-3)	3	0	14	7	-	24
Michigan State (9-4)	3	3	0	6	-	12

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
UGA (3-0) Blair Walsh 32-yard field goal, 9:26 left
Drive: 8 plays, 48 yards
MSU (3-3) Brett Swenson 20-yard field goal, 4:50 left
Drive: 4 plays, 3 yards

SECOND QUARTER
MSU (6-3) Brett Swenson 32-yard field goal, 2:14 left
Drive: 10 plays, 24 yards

THIRD QUARTER
UGA (10-6) Michael Moore 35-yard pass from Matthew Stafford (Blair Walsh kick), 3:31 left
Drive: 10 plays, 96 yards
UGA (17-6) Aaron White 21-yard pass from matthew Stafford (Blair Walsh kick), 0:09 left
Drive: 1 play, 21 yards

FOURTH QUARTER
MSU (12-17) Javon Ringer 1-yard run (pass failed), 8:50 left
Drive: 10 plays, 54 yards
UGA (24-12) Knowshon Moreno 21-yard pass from Matthew Stafford (Blair Walsh kick), 3:43 left
Drive: 11 plays, 67 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	UGA	MSU
First Downs	19	16
Rushes-Yards	33-81	34-31
Passing Yards	250	205
Passes (C-A-I)	20-31-1	22-39-1
Total Offense	64-331	73-236
Punts-Avg.	5-47.1	5-38.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	7-53	5-50

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
UGA: Knowshon Moreno 23-62, Matthew Stafford 6-9, Brian Mimbs 1-8, A.J. Green 1-6, Team 2-(-4); **MSU:** Javon Ringer 20-47, Brian Hoyer 8-3, Dwayne Holmes 1-2, Keshawn Martin 2-(-3), Team 2-(-8).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)
UGA: Matthew Stafford 20-30-1-250; **MSU:** Brian Hoyer 18-34-1-169, Cousins 4-5-0-36.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
UGA: Michael Moore 6-97, Knowshon Moreno 6-63, Kris Durham 3-32, Aron White 1-21, A.J. Green 1-12, Caleb King 1-11, Mohamed Massaquoi 1-10, Demiko Goodman 1-4; **MSU:** B.J. Cunningham 6-52, Mark Dell 5-61, Blair White 4-31, Javon Ringer 3-30, Andrew Hawken 1-14, Garrett Celek 1-8, Josh Rouse 1-5, Jeff McPherson 1-4.

2010 ALAMO BOWL • TEXAS TECH 41, MICHIGAN STATE 31

2010 Alamo Bowl
Jan. 2, 2010 • San Antonio, Texas
Alamodome • Att: 64,757

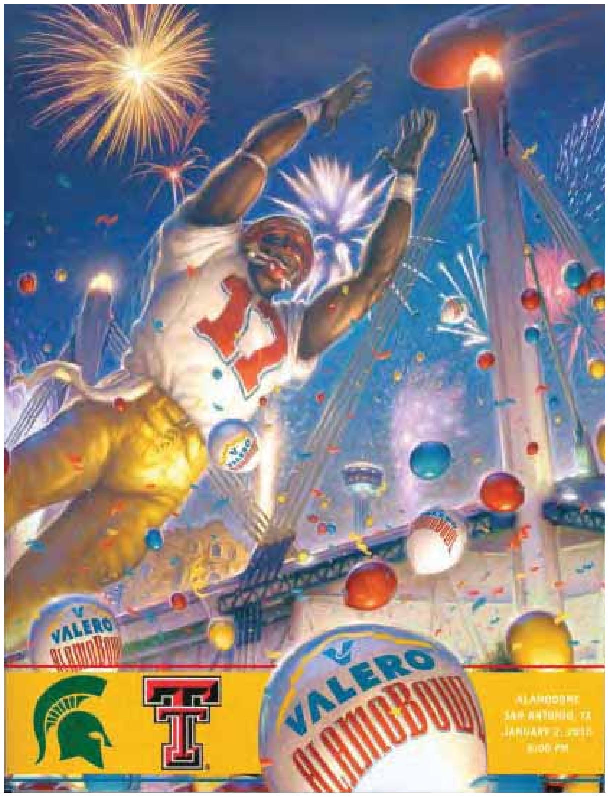
SAN ANTONIO, Texas - Steven Sheffield came off the bench to complete 9-of-11 passes for 88 yards and direct two fourth-quarter scoring drives as Texas Tech rallied from a four-point deficit for a 41-31 victory over Michigan State in the 2010 Valero Alamo Bowl. There were four lead changes in the second half as the teams combined for 72 points and 975 total yards.

Texas Tech jumped out to a 7-0 lead as Baron Batch capped a nine-play, 61-yard drive with a 3-yard touchdown run with 8:00 left in the first quarter. The Spartans tied the score at 7 on Edwin Baker's 46-yard TD run with 3:47 remaining in the first quarter.

Early in the second quarter, the Red Raiders built a 17-7 lead on Matt Williams' 21-yard field goal and Taylor Potts' 2-yard TD toss to Lyle Leong. MSU responded with a quick strike, as Kirk Cousins hooked up with Keshawn Martin for a 48-yard scoring play with 8:06 left in the first half. A 38-yard field goal by Williams gave Texas Tech a 20-14 halftime lead.

The Red Raiders' Eric Stephens fumbled the second-half kickoff and Brett Swenson recovered the ball at the Texas Tech 26. Five plays later, Keith Nichol scored his first career rushing TD on a 7-yard keeper up the middle as MSU took its first lead at 21-20. Midway through the third quarter, Texas Tech put together a nine-play, 92-yard drive and regained the lead at 27-21 on a 14-yard TD pass from Potts to Jacoby Franks. An 18-yard completion from punter Aaron Bates to Charlie Gantt on a fourth-and-5 play set up Martin's 8-yard TD strike to Blair White as MSU took a 28-27 lead with 1:18 left in the third quarter.

Baker's 26-yard run early in the fourth quarter led to a 44-yard field goal by Swenson as the Spartans extended their lead to 31-27. Sheffield finished off an eight-play, 77-yard drive with an 11-yard TD pass to Detron Lewis as Texas Tech took the lead for good at 34-31 with 5:03 remaining in the game. MSU's next possession resulted in a turnover, as Franklin Mitchem intercepted Cousins' pass intended for Martin at the Spartan 35. Nine plays later, Batch iced the game with his 13-yard TD gallop.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Michigan State (6-7)	7	7	14	3	-	31
Texas Tech (9-4)	7	13	7	14	-	41

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
TT (7-0) Baron Batch 3-yard run (Matt Williams kick), 8:00 left
Drive: 9 plays, 61 yards
MSU (7-7) Edwin Baker 46-yard run (Brett Swenson kick), 3:47 left
Drive: 2 plays, 65 yards

SECOND QUARTER
TT (10-7) Matt Williams 21-yard field goal, 14:11 left
Drive: 11 plays, 70 yards
TT (17-7) Lyle Leong 2-yard pass from Taylor Potts (Mike Williams kick), 11:01 left
Drive: 4 plays, 52 yards
MSU (14-17) Keshawn Martin 48-yard pass from Kirk Cousins (Brett Swenson kick), 8:06 left
Drive: 6 plays, 77 yards
TT (20-14) Matt Williams 38-yard field goal, 0:20 left
Drive: 9 plays, 37 yards

THIRD QUARTER
MSU (21-20) Keith Nichol 7-yard run (Brett Swenson kick), 12:15 left
Drive: 5 plays, 26 yards
TT (27-21) Jacoby Franks 14-yard pass from Taylor Potts (Matt Williams kick), 6:23 left
Drive: 9 plays, 92 yards
MSU (28-27) Blair White 8-yard pass from Keshawn Martin (Brett Swenson kick), 1:18 left
Drive: 6 plays, 80 yards

FOURTH QUARTER
MSU (31-27) Brett Swenson 44-yard field goal, 8:05 left
Drive: 11 plays, 47 yards
TT (34-31) Detron Lewis 11-yard pass from Steven Sheffield (Matt Williams kick), 5:03 left
Drive: 8 plays, 77 yards
TT (41-31) Baron Batch 13-yard run (Matt Williams kick), 2:08 left
Drive: 9 plays, 35 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	MSU	TT
First Downs	13	31
Rushes-Yards	32-148	31-119
Passing Yards	248	460
Passes (C-A-I)	16-30-2	38-54-1
Total Offense	62-396	85-579
Punts-Avg.	4-45.2	2-44.5
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	5-55	9-60

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
MSU: Edwin Baker 12-97, Larry Caper 11-25, Kirk Cousins 5-18, Keith Nichol 1-7, Keshawn Martin 2-3, Team 1-(-2); TT: Baron Batch 22-100, Eric Stephens 4-31, Harrison Jeffers 1-4, Team 2-(-3), Steven Sheffield 1-(-5), Taylor Potts 1-(-8).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)
MSU: Kirk Cousins 13-27-2-220, Keshawn Martin 2-2-0-10, Aaron Bates 1-1-0-18; TT: Taylor Potts 29-43-1-372, Steven Sheffield 9-11-0-88.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
MSU: Blair White 6-114, Keshawn Martin 4-86, Charlie Gantt 2-34, Keith Nichol 2-11, Kirk Cousins 1-2, Edwin Baker 1-1; TT: Detron Lewis 10-114, Tramain Swindall 7-49, Baron Batch 6-85, Austin Zouzalik 3-75, Lyle Leong 3-58, Eric Stephens 3-33, Jacoby Franks 2-19, Alex Torres 2-15, Harrison Jeffers 2-12.

2011 CAPITAL ONE BOWL • NO. 15 ALABAMA 49, NO. 7 MICHIGAN STATE 7

2011 Capital One Bowl
Jan. 1, 2011 • Orlando, Fla.
Florida Citrus Bowl Stadium • Att: 61,519

ORLANDO, Fla. - Mark Ingram and Eddie Lacy combined to rush for 145 yards and four touchdowns to lead No. 15 Alabama to a 49-7 victory over No. 7 Michigan State in the 2011 Capital One Bowl.

Alabama scored on its first four possessions to build a 28-0 halftime lead. The Crimson Tide took the opening kickoff and drove 79 yards in 11 plays and jumped out to a 7-0 lead on Ingram's 1-yard TD run.

On its opening series, Michigan State drove to the Alabama 24 but on a third-and-18 play, Kirk Cousins' pass attempt was intercepted by Robert Lester. Trent Richardson capped off an eight-play, 62-yard drive with an 8-yard TD run with 14:33 left in the second quarter.

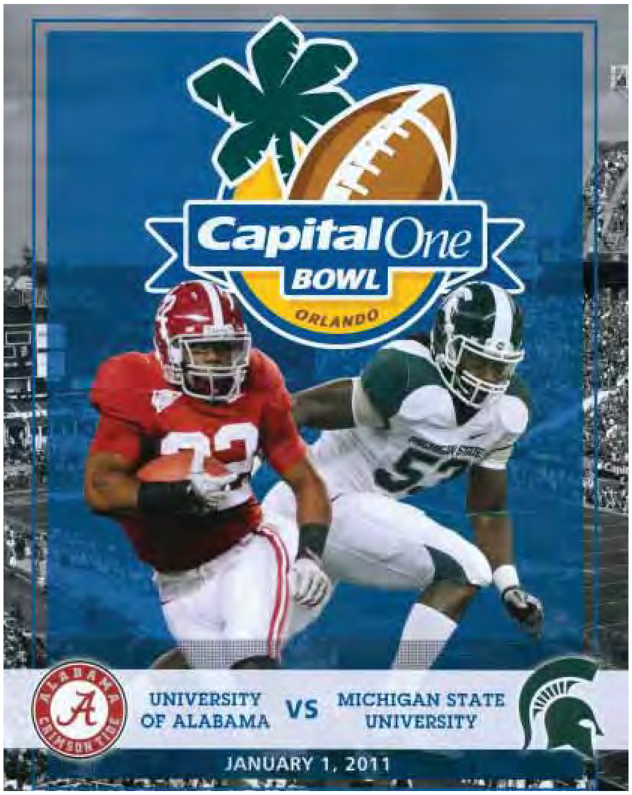
Trailing 14-0, a 28-yard completion from Cousins to Brian Linthicum gave MSU a first-and-goal at the Crimson Tide 7. Facing third-and-goal from the 8-yard line, Cousins fumbled while being sacked by Courtney Upshaw as the play resulted in a 30-yard loss and took the Spartans out of field-goal range.

Ingram reached paydirt on a 6-yard run and Julio Jones scored on a 35-yard reverse around left end as Alabama took a 28-0 lead to the locker room.

Greg McElroy hooked up with Marquis Maze for a 37-yard scoring play and Lacy added TD runs of 12 and 62 yards as the Crimson Tide built a 49-0 lead.

The Spartans avoided a shutout as Bennie Fowler scored on a 49-yard pass from Keith Nichol with 5:45 remaining in the fourth quarter.

Alabama limited MSU to a season-low 171 total yards – nearly 236 yards below its regular-season average. Upshaw recorded five tackles with three resulting in losses (29 yards), including two sacks, to earn game MVP honors.



SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4		F
Alabama (10-3)	7	21	14	7	-	49
Michigan State (11-2)	0	0	0	7	-	7

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER
ALA (7-0) Mark Ingram 1-yard run (Jeremy Shelley kick), 8:20 left
Drive: 13 plays, 79 yards

SECOND QUARTER
ALA (14-0) Trent Richardson 8-yard run (Jeremy Shelley kick), 14:33 left
Drive: 8 plays, 62 yards
ALA (21-0) Mark Ingram 6-yard run (Jeremy Shelley kick), 6:46 left
Drive: 7 plays, 80 yards
ALA (28-0) Julio Jones 35-yard run (Jeremy Shelley kick), 3:50 left
Drive: 3 plays, 44 yards

THIRD QUARTER
ALA (35-0) Marquis Maze 37-yard pass from Greg McElroy (Jeremy Shelley kick), 12:00 left
Drive: 4 plays, 79 yards
ALA (42-0) Eddie Lacy 12-yard run (Jeremy Shelley kick), 1:09 left
Drive: 10 plays, 58 yards

FOURTH QUARTER
ALA (49-0) Eddie Lacy 62-yard run (Jeremy Shelley kick), 8:58 left
Drive: 3 plays, 84 yards
MSU (7-49) Bennie Fowler 49-yard pass from Keith Nichol (Dan Conroy kick), 5:45 left
Drive: 7 plays, 69 yards

TEAM STATISTICS	ALA	MSU
First Downs	25	12
Rushes-Yards	44-275	28-(-48)
Passing Yards	271	219
Passes (C-A-I)	19-23-0	14-29-1
Total Offense	67-546	57-171
Punts-Avg.	2-39.5	7-43.4
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-0
Penalties-Yards	3-25	8-45

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (CARRIES-YARDS)
ALA: Eddie Lacy 5-86, Mark Ingram 12-59, Trent Richardson 10-42, Julio Jones 2-36, Demetrius Goode 10-36, Darius Hanks 1-6, Greg McElroy 1-4, A.J. McCarron 1-4, Jalston Fowler 1-3, Team 1-(-1); **MSU:** Edwin Baker 12-14, Le'Veon Bell 4-13, Larry Caper 1-1, Keshawn Martin 4-0, Andrew Maxwell 1-(-8), Team 1-(-12), Kirk Cousins 5-(-56).

PASSING (C-A-I-YARDS)
ALA: Greg McElroy 13-17-0-220, A.J. McCarron 6-6-0-51; **MSU:** Kirk Cousins 10-18-1-120, Andrew Maxwell 2-6-0-43, Keith Nichol 2-5-0-56.

RECEIVING (RECEPTIONS-YARDS)
ALA: Marquis Maze 4-77, Dial Preston 4-55, Julio Jones 3-49, Brad Smelley 2-20, Mark Ingram 1-30, Demetrius Goode 1-17, Trent Richardson 1-12, Earl Alexander 1-7, Michael Williams 1-3, Chris Underwood 1-1; **MSU:** Keshawn Martin 3-41, Keith Nichol 3-22, Bennie Fowler 2-56, Charlie Gantt 2-40, Mark Dell 2-27, Brian Linthicum 1-28, Larry Caper 1-5.

MSU / Team Single-Game Bowl Highs

Total First Downs
25.......vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
23....... vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
23....... vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
22....... vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
21....... vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha

Rushing First Downs
16.......vs. UCLA, 1956 Rose
14 .... vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
12 .... vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
12 ....vs. UCLA, 1954 Rose
11.......vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus

Passing First Downs
18....... vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
13....... vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
12 .... vs. Washington, 1997 Aloha
11.......vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
10 .... vs. Georgia, 2009 Capital One
10 .... vs. Louisville, 1993 Liberty
10....... vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator

Penalty First Downs
3.......vs. Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
3.......vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
2....... vs. Georgia, 2009 Capital One
2 .... vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
2 .... vs. Georgia Tech, 1985 All-American
2 ....vs. UCLA, 1966 Rose

Rushing Attempts
61.......vs. Hawaii (225 yards), 1989 Aloha
60....... vs. Southern Cal (148), 1988 Rose
53.......vs. UCLA (195), 1954 Rose
51.......vs. Georgia (158), 1989 Gator
50.......vs. UCLA (251), 1956 Rose

Net Yards Rushing
251.......vs. UCLA (50 rushes), 1956 Rose
225.......vs. Hawaii (61), 1989 Aloha
210.......vs. Fresno State (42), 2001 Silicon Valley
204 ....vs. UCLA (46), 1966 Rose
195....... vs. UCLA (53), 1954 Rose

Net Yards Passing
376....... vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
348....... vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
296 .... vs. Washington, 1997 Aloha
288....... vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
257 .... vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus

Passes Attempted
44.......vs. LSU (22 completions), 1995 Independece
39 ....vs. Georgia (22), 2009 Capital One
39 .... vs. Nebraska (21), 2003 Alamo
36....... vs. Boston College (14), 2007 Champs Sports
35 .... vs. Florida (21), 2000 Florida Citrus
35 ....vs. Washington (20), 1997 Aloha

Passes Completed
22.......vs. Georgia (39 att.), 2009 Capital One
22.......vs. Fresno State (32), 2001 Silicon Valley
22.......vs. LSU (44), 1995 Independence
21....... vs. Nebraska (39), 2003 Alamo
21....... vs. Florida (35), 2000 Florida Citrus

Had Intercepted
4.......vs. Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
3.......vs. Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
3....... vs. Washington, 1997 Aloha
3.......vs. Stanford, 1996 Sun
3 .... vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
3....... vs. Army, 1984 Cherry
3 .... vs. UCLA, 1966 Rose
3 .... vs. Auburn, 1938 Orange

Total Offensive Plays
75....... vs. LSU (448 total yards), 1995 Independence
75....... vs. Boston College (303), 2007 Champs Sports
75....... vs. Florida (400), 2000 Florida Citrus
75.......vs. Georgia (446), 1989 Gator
74.......vs. Fresno State (586), 2001 Silicon Valley

Total Net Yards
586....... vs. Fresno State (74 plays), 2001 Silicon Valley
448....... vs. LSU (79), 1995 Independence
446 ....vs. Georgia (75), 1989 Gator
400 .... vs. Florida (75), 2000 Florida Citrus
396.......vs. Texas Tech (62), 2010 Alamo

Fumbles
6....... vs. Washington (lost 2),1997 Aloha
4 .... vs. LSU (3), 1995 Independence
4 ....vs. UCLA (4), 1954 Rose

Fumbles Lost
4 .... vs. UCLA, 1954 Rose
3 .... vs. LSU, 1995 Independence

Penalties
10.......vs. UCLA (78 yards), 1956 Rose
9....... vs. LSU (80), 1995 Independence
9 ....vs. Hawaii (85), 1989 Aloha
8 ....vs. Alabama (45), 2011 Capital One
8.......vs. Fresno State (64), 2001 Silicon Valley
8....... vs. Georgia (102), 1989 Gator

Penalty Yards
102....... vs. Georgia (8 penalties), 1989 Gator
85.......vs. Hawaii (9), 1989 Aloha
80 .... vs. Florida (7), 2000 Florida Citrus
80 ....vs. LSU (9), 1995 Independence
78.......vs. UCLA (10), 1956 Rose

Punts
12....... vs. Auburn (422 yards), 1938 Orange
9.......vs. Stanford (377), 1996 Sun
8 .... vs. Nebraska (371), 2003 Alamo
8 .... vs. Southern Cal (377), 1988 Rose
7....... vs. Alabama (304), 2011 Capital One

Punting Yards
422....... vs. Auburn (12 punts), 1938 Orange
377.......vs. Stanford (9), 1996 Sun
377....... vs. Southern Cal (8), 1988 Rose
371....... vs. Nebraska (8), 2003 Alamo
304....... vs. Alabama (7), 2011 Capital One

Punting Average (min . 3 punts)
55.8....... vs. Army (4-223), 1984 Cherry
50.7.......vs. Hawaii (3-152), 1989 Aloha
47.1 .... vs. Southern Cal (8-377), 1988 Rose
46.4.......vs. Nebraska (8-371), 2003 Alamo
45.2....... .vs. Texas Tech (4-181), 2010 Alamo

Punt Returns
6 ....vs. Army (23 yards), 1984 Cherry
5 .... vs. Boston College (8), 2007 Champs Sports
5 .... vs. UCLA (8), 1956 Rose

Punt Return Yards
74 ....vs. UCLA (4 returns), 1954 Rose
70 ....vs. Washington (4), 1997 Aloha
26 ....vs. LSU (2), 1995 Independence
23 ....vs. Army (6), 1984 Cherry

Kickoff Returns
8 ....vs. Texas Tech (169 yards), 2010 Alamo
8 ....vs. Washington (217), 1997 Aloha
7 ....vs. Alabama (171), 2011 Capital One
7 ....vs. LSU (158), 1995 Independence
6 .... vs. Florida (132), 2000 Florida Citrus

Kickoff Return Yards
217 ....vs. Washington (8 returns), 1997 Aloha
178 .... .vs. Boston College (5), 2007 Champs Sports
171 ....vs. Alabama (7), 2011 Capital One
169 ....vs. Texas Tech (8), 2010 Alamo
158 ....vs. LSU (7), 1995 Independence

Interceptions
4.......vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
4 .... vs. Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
3 .... vs. Southern Cal, 1990 Sun

Interception Return Yards
67 ....vs. UCLA (2 returns), 1954 Rose
43.......vs. Hawaii (4), 1989 Aloha
30 .... vs. Auburn (2), 1938 Orange
24 .... vs. Georgia (1), 2009 Capital One
23 ....vs. Fresno State (2), 2001 Silicon Valley
22 ....vs. UCLA (1), 1956 Rose

Time of Possession
35:57 ....vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
34:43 .... vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
34:31 .... vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
32:49 ....vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
32:47 ....vs. Southern Cal, 1988 Rose

Sacks By
5....... vs. Florida (42 yards), 2000 Florida Citrus
3 .... vs. Boston College (39), 2007 Champs Sports
3 ....vs. Fresno State (20), 2001 Silicon Valley
3 ....vs. Stanford (20), 1996 Sun
3 ....vs. Louisville (25), 1993 Liberty

Total Points Scored
44 .... vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
37 ....vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
33 ....vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
31.......vs. Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
28.......vs. UCLA, 1954 Rose

Points Scored in a Quarter
20 ....vs. Fresno State (2), 2001 Silicon Valley
17.......vs. Fresno State (1), 2001 Silicon Valley
17 .... vs. Florida (2), 2000 Florida Citrus
17 ....vs. LSU (2), 1995 Independence

Opponent / Team Single-Game Bowl Highs

Total First Downs

31	by Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
27	by Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
25	by Alabama, 2011 Capital One
25	by Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
25	by Stanford, 1996 Sun

Rushing First Downs

14	by Army, 1984 Cherry
12	by Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
12	by Stanford, 1996 Sun
11	by Alabama, 2011 Capital One
11	by Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
11	by Washington, 1997 Aloha
11	by Louisville, 1993 Liberty
11	by Southern Cal, 1990 Sun

Passing First Downs

22	by Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
20	by Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
17	by Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
15	by Georgia, 2009 Capital One
13	by Alabama, 2011 Capital One

Penalty First Downs

4	by Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
3	by Georgia, 1989 Gator

Rushing Attempts

71	by Army (256 yards), 1984 Cherry
54	by Nebraska (229), 2003 Alamo
49	by Stanford (257), 1996 Sun
48	by LSU (272), 1995 Independence
48	by Georgia Tech (182), 1985 All-American

Net Yards Rushing

298	by Washington (43 rushes), 1997 Aloha
275	by Alabama (44), 2011 Capital One
272	by LSU (48), 1995 Independence
257	by Stanford (49), 1996 Sun
256	by Army (71), 1984 Cherry

Net Yards Passing

531	by Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
460	by Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
300	by Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
271	by Alabama, 2011 Capital One
250	by Georgia, 2009 Capital One

Passes Attempted

58	by Fresno State (35 comp.), 2001 Silicon Valley
54	by Texas Tech (38), 2010 Alamo
51	by Florida (25), 2000 Florida Citrus
47	by Boston College (22), 2007 Champs Sports
42	by Southern Cal (22), 1988 Rose

Passes Completed

38	by Texas Tech (54 att.), 2010 Alamo
35	by Fresno State (58), 2001 Silicon Valley
25	by Florida (51), 2000 Florida Citrus
23	by Stanford (30), 1996 Sun
22	by Boston College (47), 2007 Champs Sports
22	by Southern Cal (42), 1988 Rose

Had Intercepted

4	by Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
4	by Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
3	by Southern Cal, 1990 Sun

Total Offensive Plays

85	by Texas Tech (579 yards), 2010 Alamo
81	by Florida (367), 2000 Florida Citrus
80	by Fresno State (560), 2001 Silicon Valley
79	by Stanford (495), 1996 Sun
77	by Boston College (276), 2007 Champs Sports

Total Net Yards

579	by Texas Tech (85 plays), 2010 Alamo
560	by Fresno State (80), 2001 Silicon Valley
546	by Alabama (67), 2011 Capital One
495	by Stanford (79), 1996 Sun
477	by Washington (73), 1997 Aloha

Fumbles

7	by Hawaii (lost 4), 1989 Aloha
4	by Florida (2), 2000 Florida Citrus
4	by Southern Cal (1), 1988 Rose
4	by UCLA (3), 1954 Rose

Fumbles Lost

4	by Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
3	by UCLA, 1954 Rose

Penalties

13	by Washington (126 yards), 1997 Aloha
10	by Florida (100), 2000 Florida Citrus
9	by Texas Tech (60), 2010 Alamo
9	by UCLA (86), 1966 Rose
8	by Nebraska (69), 2003 Alamo
8	by UCLA (60), 1956 Rose

Penalty Yards

126	by Washington (13 pen.), 1997 Aloha
100	by Florida (10), 2000 Florida Citrus
86	by UCLA (9), 1966 Rose
69	by Nebraska (8), 2003 Alamo
60	by Texas Tech (9), 2010 Alamo
60	by UCLA (8), 1956 Rose

Punts

11	by UCLA (439 yards), 1966 Rose
10	by Auburn (337), 1938 Orange
9	by Boston College (375), 2007 Champs Sports
7	by Nebraska (300), 2003 Alamo
7	by Army (257), 1984 Cherry
7	by UCLA (277), 1956 Rose

Punting Yards

439	by UCLA (11 punts), 1966 Rose
375	by Boston College (9), 2007 Champs Sports
337	by Auburn (10), 1938 Orange
300	by Nebraska (7), 2003 Alamo
277	by UCLA (7), 1956 Rose

Punting Average (min . 3 punts)

47.4	by Georgia (5-237), 2009 Capital One
45.0	by Southern Cal (4-180), 1988 Rose
44.5	by LSU (4-178), 1995 Independence
42.9	by Nebraska (7-300), 2003 Alamo
41.7	by Boston College (9-375), 2007 Champs Sports

Punt Returns

7	by Stanford (94 yards), 1996 Sun
7	by Southern Cal (90), 1988 Rose

Punt Return Yards

94	by Stanford (7 returns), 1996 Sun
90	by Southern Cal (7), 1988 Rose

Kickoff Returns

7	by Hawaii (174 yards), 1989 Aloha
6	by Fresno State (115), 2001 Silicon Valley
6	by Florida (118), 2000 Florida Citrus
5	by Texas Tech (120), 2010 Alamo
5	by Georgia (74), 1989 Gator

Kickoff Return Yards

174	by Hawaii (7 returns), 1989 Aloha
150	by LSU (4), 1995 Independence
120	by Texas Tech (5), 2010 Alamo
118	by Florida (6), 2000 Florida Citrus

Interceptions

4	by Boston College (59 yards), 2007 Champs Sports
3	by Nebraska (2), 2003 Alamo
3	by Washington (122), 1997 Aloha
3	by Stanford (79), 1996 Sun
3	by LSU (23), 1995 Independence
3	by Army (7), 1984 Cherry
3	by UCLA (42), 1966 Rose
3	by Auburn (22), 1938 Orange

Interception Return Yards

122	by Washington (3 int.), 1997 Aloha
79	by Stanford (3), 1996 Sun

Time of Possession

36:14	by Washington, 1997 Aloha
35:45	by Southern Cal, 1990 Sun
35:42	by Stanford, 1996 Sun
35:05	by Army, 1984 Cherry
35:03	by Georgia Tech, 1985 All-American

Sacks by

6	by Georgia, 2009 Capital One
6	by LSU, 1995 Independence
6	by Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
6	by Army, 1984 Cherry
5	by Alabama, 2011 Capital One
5	by Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
5	by Stanford, 1996 Sun
5	by Southern Cal, 1988 Rose

Total Points Scored

51	by Washington, 1997 Aloha
49	by Alabama, 2011 Capital One
45	by LSU, 1995 Independence
41	by Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
38	by Stanford, 1996 Sun
35	by Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley

Points Scored in a Quarter

21	by Alabama (2), 2011 Capital One
21	by LSU (3), 1995 Independence
17	by Washington (2), 1997 Aloha

MSU / Individual Single-Game Bowl Highs

Rushing Attempts
41 ....Blake Ezor (179 yards) vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
35....... Lorenzo White (113) vs. Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
33.................... Blake Ezor (146) vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
33 .. Lorenzo White (158) vs. Georgia Tech, 1985 All-American
27 .......T.J. Duckett (184) vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley

Rushing Yards
184..T.J. Duckett (27 rushes) vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
179...................... Blake Ezor (41) vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
158 ...Lorenzo White (33) vs. Georgia Tech, 1985 All-American
146 .... Blake Ezor (33) vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
113....... Lorenzo White (35) vs. Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
113....................Clinton Jones (20) vs. UCLA, 1966 Rose

Rushing Touchdowns
3..................................Blake Ezor vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
2 .... T.J. Duckett vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
2 .... Lorenzo White vs. Southern Cal, 1988 Rose

Passed Attempted
44 ......Tony Banks (22 comp.) vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
39 ....Jeff Smoker (21) vs. Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
36 ..Brian Hoyer (14) vs. Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
35..............Bill Burke (21) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
34 ....Brian Hoyer (18) vs. Georgia, 2009 Capital One

Passes Completed
22....Jeff Smoker (32 att.) vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
22............. Tony Banks (44) vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
21.................Jeff Smoker (39) vs. Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
21..............Bill Burke (35) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
18...........Brian Hoyer (34) vs. Georgia, 2009 Capital One

Passing Yards
376...... Jeff Smoker vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
348 ....Tony Banks vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
288 .... Bobby McAllister vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
257................... Bill Burke vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
220...................Kirk Cousins vs. Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
220...................Todd Schultz vs. Washington, 1997 Aloha

Passes Had Intercepted
4 ..Brian Hoyer vs. Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
3 .... Jeff Smoker vs. Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
3 ....Todd Schultz vs. Washington, 1997 Aloha
3 ....Tony Banks vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
3 ....Dave Yarema vs. Army, 1984 Cherry
3................................. Steve Juday vs. UCLA, 1966 Rose

Touchdown Passes
3.......... Jeff Smoker vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
3........................ Bill Burke vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
3 .... Bobby McAllister vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator

Receptions
13 ......Plaxico Burress (185 yards) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
10.. Charles Rogers (270) vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
9......... Muhsin Muhammad (171) vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
9....................Andre Rison (252) vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
8 ....Aaron Alexander (63) vs. Nebraska, 2003 Alamo

Receiving Yards
270............Charles Rogers (10 catches) vs. Fresno State
.... 2001 Silicon Valley
252.................... Andre Rison (9) vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
185...... Plaxico Burress (13) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
171.... Muhsin Muhammad (9) vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
114 .... Blair White (6) vs. Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
114..................Gari Scott (5) vs. Washington, 1997 Aloha

Touchdown Receptions
3 ....Plaxico Burress vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
3............................. Andre Rison vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator

Punts
8........... Paul Edinger vs. Stanford (377 yards), 1996 Sun
8 .. Greg Montgomery vs. Southern Cal (377), 1988 Rose
7......... Aaron Bates vs. Alabama (304), 2011 Capital One
6...Four times

Punting Yards
377......... Paul Edinger (8 punts) vs. Standford, 1996 Sun
377... Greg Montgomery (8) vs. Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
304 .... Aaron Bates (7) vs. Alabama, 2011 Capital One
257 ....Josh Butland (6) vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
252..... .Aaron Bates vs. Boston College (6), 2007 Champs Sports

Punting Average (min . 3 punts)
55.8........ Ralf Mojsiejenko (4-223) vs. Army, 1984 Cherry
50.7..........John Langeloh (3-152) vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
48.0....Brandon Fields (5-240) vs. Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
47.1............Paul Edinger (8-377) vs. Stanford, 1996 Sun
47.1....Greg Montgomery (8-377) vs. Southern Cal, 1988 Rose

Punt Returns
5 ... Devin Thomas (8 yards) vs. Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
4........................... Don Japinga (3) vs. UCLA, 1966 Rose
3...Three times

Punt Return Yards
70................. Billy Wells (3 returns) vs. UCLA, 1954 Rose
50................Sedrick Irvin (3) vs. Washington, 1997 Aloha
26...........Derrick Mason (2) vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
20....................Gari Scott (1) vs. Washington, 1997 Aloha

Kickoff Returns
6....... Keshawn Martin (149 yards) vs. Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
6...... Herb Haygood (132) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
5 .... Devin Thomas (178) vs. Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
5......Herb Haygood (108) vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
4... Five times

Kickoff Return Yards
178.............Devin Thomas (5 returns) vs. Boston College
....2007 Champs Sports
149........Keshawn Martin (6) vs. Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
132...... Herb Haygood (6) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
132.........Derrick Mason (4) vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
108 .... Herb Haygood (5) vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley

Interceptions
2 .... Mike Iaquaniello (21 yards) vs. Southern Cal, 1990 Sun
2 .... Mike Iaquaniello (13 yards) vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
2......... John Miller (4 yards) vs. Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
2.............John Matsock (67 yards) vs. UCLA, 1954 Rose

Interception Return Yards
67............................John Matsock vs. UCLA, 1954 Rose
29................. Tom McShannock vs. Auburn, 1938 Orange

Field Goals Made
3 ....Paul Edinger (46, 20, 39) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
2...Four times

Field Goals Attempted
4 ..Paul Edinger (made 3) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
3.......... Brett Swenson (2) vs. Georgia, 2009 Capital One
2... Six times

Total Offense
393 ...Jeff Smoker (41 plays) vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
320 .... Tony Banks (54) vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
287 .... Bobby McAllister (37) vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
238 ....Kirk Cousins (32) vs. Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
218 .... Bill Burke (40) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus

All-Purpose Yards
270 ....Charles Rogers vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
252 .... Andre Rison vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator
238 .... Keshawn Martin vs. Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
232 ....Derrick Mason vs. LSU, 1995 Independence
220 ...Devin Thomas vs. Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports

Tackles
17 ....Percy Snow (15-2) vs. Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
16 ....Chuck Bullough (9-7) vs. Southern Cal, 1990 Sun
16 ..Shane Bullough (9-7) vs. Georgia Tech, 1985 All-American
16................... Jim Morrissey (7-9) vs. Army, 1984 Cherry
15.......... Tim Moore (8-7) vs. Georgia Tech, 1985 All-American

Tackles for Losses
5 .... Julian Peterson (32 yards) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
4 .... Reggie Garnett (5 yards) vs. Stanford, 1996 Sun

Sacks
3......Julian Peterson (30 yards) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
2 ....Thomas Wright (19) vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
2 .... Rich Glover (17) vs. Louisville, 1993 Liberty

Fumbles Recovered
3........................Matt Vanderbeek vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha

Extra Points
5 ..... Dave Rayner (6 att.) vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
4.............. Brett Swenson (4) vs. Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
4........................... Evan Slonac (4) vs. UCLA, 1954 Rose
3 .... John Langeloh (4) vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
3 .... John Langeloh (4) vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator

Extra-Point Attempts
6 . Dave Rayner (5 made) vs. Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
4 ....Four times

Points Scored
................Plaxico Burress vs. Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
18................................Blake Ezor vs. Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
18........................... Andre Rison vs. Georgia, 1989 Gator

Opponent / Individual Single-Game Bowl Highs

Rushing Attempts
37 ... Cory Ross (138 yards), Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
32 ... Mazio Royster (125), Southern Cal, 1990 Sun
29 ... Rashaan Shehee (193), Washington, 1997 Aloha
28 ... Nate Sassaman (136), Army, 1984 Cherry
25 ... Kevin Faulk (234), LSU, 1995 Independence
25 ... Gary Beban (14), UCLA, 1966 Rose

Rushing Yards
234 ... Kevin Faulk (25 rushes), LSU, 1995 Independence
193 ... Rashaan Shehee (29), Washington, 1997 Aloha
138 ... Cory Ross (37), Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
136 ... Nate Sassaman (28), Army, 1984 Cherry
125 ... Mazio Royster (32), Southern Cal, 1990 Sun

Rushing Touchdowns
2 ... Seven Times (Most recent: Mark Ingram and
... Eddie Lacy, Alabama, 2011 Capital One)

Passes Attempted
56 ... David Carr (35 comp.), Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
50 ... Doug Johnson (24), Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
47 ... Matt Ryan (22), Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
43 ... Taylor Potts (29), Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
41 ... Rodney Peete (22), Southern Cal, 1988 Rose

Passes Completed
35 ... David Carr (56 att.), Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
29 ... Taylor Potts (43), Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
24 ... Doug Johnson (50), Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
22 ... Matt Ryan (47), Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
22 ... Chad Hutchinson (28), Stanford, 1996 Sun
22 ... Rodney Peete (41), Southern Cal, 1988 Rose

Passing Yards
531 ... David Carr, Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
372 ... Taylor Potts, Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
288 ... Doug Johnson, Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
250 ... Matthew Stafford, Georgia, 2009 Capital One
249 ... Matt Ryan, Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
249 ... Rodney Peete, Southern Cal, 1988 Rose

Passes Had Intercepted
3 ... Todd Marinovich, Southern Cal, 1990 Sun
3 ... Garrett Gabriel, Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
3 ... Rodney Peete, Southern Cal, 1988 Rose

Touchdown Passes
4 ... David Carr, Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
3 ... Matthew Stafford, Georgia, 2009 Capital One
3 ... Matt Ryan, Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
3 ... Doug Johnson, Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
3 ... Wayne Johnson, Georgia, 1989 Gator

Receptions
13 ... Rodney Wright (299 yds), Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
11 ... Travis Taylor (156), Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
10 ... Detron Lewis (114), Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
9 ... Bernard Berrian (94), Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
8 ... Ralph Dawkins (68), Louisville, 1993 Liberty

Receiving Yards
299 ... Rodney Wright (13 rec.), Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
156 ... Travis Taylor (11), Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
138 ... Rich Gunnell (6), Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
124 ... Eddie Kennison (5), LSU, 1995 Independence
114 ... Detron Lewis (10), Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo

Touchdown Receptions
3 ... Travis Taylor, Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
2 ... Five times

Punts
9 ... Johnny Ayers (375 yds), Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
9 ... Larry Cox (374), UCLA, 1966 Rose
7 ... Kyle Larson (300), Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
6 ... Four times

Punting Yards
375 ... Johnny Ayers (9), Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
374 ... Larry Cox (9), UCLA, 1966 Rose
300 ... Kyle Larson (7), Nebraska, 2003 Alamo
239 ... Scott Krawczyk (6), Army, 1984 Cherry
232 ... Paul Cameron (6), UCLA, 1954 Rose

Punting Average (min . 3 punts)
49.2 ... Brian Mimbs (4-197), Georgia, 2009 Capital One
45.8 ... Sean O'Laughlin (5-229), Washington, 1997 Aloha
45.0 ... Chris Sperle (4-180), Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
44.5 ... Chad Kessler (4-178), LSU, 1995 Independence
44.5 ... Ronnie Knox (4-178), UCLA, 1956 Rose

Punt Returns
7 ... Randy Tanner (90 yards), Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
5 ... Troy Walters (64), Stanford, 1996 Sun

Punt Return Yards
90 ... Randy Tanner (7 returns), Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
64 ... Troy Walters (5), Stanford, 1996 Sun

Kickoff Returns
7 ... Jeff Snyder (174 yards), Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
5 ... Bernard Berrian (97), Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
5 ... John Capel (109), Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
4 ... Twice

Kickoff Return Yards
174 ... Jeff Snyder (7 returns), Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
116 ... Eddie Kennison (2), LSU, 1995 Independence
109 ... John Capel (5), Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
100 ... Paul Cameron (4), UCLA, 1954 Rose
97 ... Bernard Berrian (5), Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley

Interceptions
2 ... Jamie Silva (40 yds), Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
2 ... Tony Parrish (56), Washington, 1997 Aloha
2 ... Doug Pavek (0), Army, 1984 Cherry
2 ... Bob Stiles (42), UCLA, 1966 Rose
2 ... Dutch Heath (22), Auburn, 1938 Orange

Interception Return Yards
66 ... Lester Towns (1 return), Washington, 1997 Aloha
56 ... Tony Parrish (2), Washington, 1997 Aloha
42 ... Bob Stiles (2), UCLA, 1966 Rose
40 ... Jamie Silva (2), Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
29 ... Reshad Jones (1), Georgia, 2009 Capital One
29 ... Josh Madsen (1), Stanford, 1996 Sun

Field Goals Made
3 ... Quin Rodriguez (20, 54, 43), Southern Cal, 1990 Sun
2 ... Matt Williams (21, 38), Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
2 ... Steve Crumley (39, 36), Georgia, 1989 Gator

Field Goals Attempted
4 ... Quin Rodriguez (made 3), Southern Cal, 1990 Sun
3 ... Matt Williams (2), Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo

Total Offense
508 ... David Carr (61 plays), Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
364 ... Taylor Potts (44), Texas Tech, 2010 Alamo
303 ... Rodney Peete (52), Southern Cal, 1988 Rose
259 ... Matthew Stafford (37), Georgia, 2009 Capital One
257 ... Wayne Johnson (41), Georgia, 1989 Gator

All-Purpose Yards
318 ... Rodney Wright, Fresno State, 2001 Silicon Valley
271 ... Kevin Faulk, LSU, 1995 Independence
234 ... Jeff Snyder, Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
201 ... Rashaan Shehee, Washington, 1997 Aloha
195 ... Rodney Hampton, Georgia, 1989 Gator

Tackles
18 ... Allen Stansberry (11-7), LSU, 1995 Independence
12 ... Walter Briggs (12-0), Hawaii, 1989 Aloha
12 ... Demetrius Douglas (6-6), Georgia, 1989 Gator
11 ... Mark Herzlich (7-4), Boston College, 2007 Champs Sports
11 ... Josh Madsen (9-2), Stanford, 1996 Sun
11 ... Jim Gentile (6-5), Army, 1984 Cherry

Tackles for Losses
3 ... by eight players; most recent:
... Courtney Upshaw (29 yards), Alabama, 2011 Capital One

Sacks
3 ... James Gillyard (18 yards), LSU, 1995 Independence
2 ... by 13 players; most recent:
... Courtney Upshaw (17), Alabama, 2011 Capital One

Extra Points
7 ... Jeremy Shelley (7 att.), Alabama, 2011 Capital One
6 ... Nick Lentz (7), Washington, 1997 Aloha
6 ... Andre' Lafleur (6), LSU, 1995 Independence
5 ... Three times

Extra-Point Attempts
7 ... Jeremy Shelley (7 made), Alabama, 2011 Capital One
7 ... Nick Lentz (6), Washington, 1997 Aloha
6 ... Andre' Lafleur (6), LSU, 1995 Independence
5 ... Three times

Points Scored
18 ... Travis Taylor, Florida, 2000 Florida Citrus
18 ... Rodney Hampton, Georgia, 1989 Gator

MSU Career Bowl Records

Rushing

Rushing Attempts: 91, Lorenzo White (374 yards) in 1984 Cherry, ’85 All-American,’88 Rose

Rushing Yards: 374, Lorenzo White (91 rushes) in 1984 Cherry, ’85 All-American,’88 Rose

Rushing TDs: 4, Blake Ezor in 1988 Rose, ’89 Gator, ’89 Aloha

Passing

Pass Attempts: 71, Jeff Smoker (43 completions) in 2001 Silicon Valley, ’03 Alamo

Pass Completions: 43, Jeff Smoker (71 attempts) in 2001 Silicon Valley, ’03 Alamo

Completion Pct. (Min. 30 Attempts): .606, Jeff Smoker (43 of 71) in 2001 Silicon Valley, ’03 Alamo

Passes Had Intercepted: 5, Brian Hoyer in 2007 Champs Sports, ’09 Capital One; Todd Schultz in 1996 Sun, ’97 Aloha

Passing Yards: 532, Jeff Smoker (43 of 71) in 2001 Silicon Valley, ’03 Alamo

TD Passes: 4, Bill Burke in 1996 Sun, ’97 Aloha, 2000 Florida Citrus

Receiving

Pass Receptions: 13, Plaxico Burress (185 yards) in 2000 Florida Citrus

Pass Receiving Yards: 361, Andre Rison (12 receptions) in 1985 All-American,’88 Rose, ’89 Gator

TD Receptions: 3, Plaxico Burress in 2000 Florida Citrus Bowl and Andre Rison in 1985 All-American, ’88 Rose, ’89 Gator

Total Offense

Total Offense Attempts: 88, Jeff Smoker (523 yards) in 2001 Silicon Valley, ’03 Alamo

Total Offense Yards: 523, Jeff Smoker (88 attempts) in 2001 Silicon Valley, ’03 Alamo

Scoring

Points: 25, John Langeloh (5 FGs, 10 PATs) in 1988 Rose, ’89 Gator, ’89 Aloha, ’90 Sun

Touchdowns: 4, Blake Ezor in 1988 Rose, ’89 Gator, ’89 Aloha

Extra Points: 10, John Langeloh (12 attempts) in 1988 Rose, ’89 Gator, ’89 Aloha, ’90 Sun

Field Goals: 5, Brett Swenson (7 attempts) in 2007 Champs Sports, ’09 Capital One, ’10 Alamo and John Langeloh (6) in 1988 Rose, ’89 Gator, ’89 Aloha, ’90 Sun

Returns

Interceptions: 4, Mike Iaquaniello (34 yards) in 1989 Aloha, ’90 Sun

Interception Return Yards: 49, John Matsock (1 return) in 1954 Rose

Punt Returns: 5, Devin Thomas (8 yards) in 2007 Champs Sports

Punt Return Yards: 70, Billy Wells (3 returns) in 1954 Rose

Kickoff Returns: 11, Herb Haygood (240 yards) in 2000 Florida Citrus, ’01 Silicon Valley

Kickoff Return Yards: 240, Herb Haygood (11 returns) in 2000 Florida Citrus, ’01 Silicon Valley

All-Purpose Yards

All-Purpose Yards: 369, Derrick Mason in 1993 Liberty, ’95 Independence, ’96 Sun

Punting

Punts: 22, Aaron Bates (927 yards) in 2007 Champs Sports, ’09 Capital One, ’10 Alamo, ’11 Capital One

Punting Average: 55.8, Ralf Mojsiejenko (4 for 223) in 1984 Cherry

Tackles

Total Tackles: 40, Percy Snow (25 solos, 15 assists) in 1988 Rose, ’89 Gator, ’89 Aloha

Bowl Longest Plays

MICHIGAN STATE

Rushing

Player vs. Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
T.J. Duckett vs. Fresno State (2001 Silicon Valley)	54
Edwin Baker vs. Texas Tech (2010 Alamo)	*46
T.J. Duckett vs. Fresno State (2001 Silicon Valley)	*39
Bob Apisa vs. UCLA (1966 Rose)	*38
Courtney Hawkins vs. Hawaii (1989 Aloha)	31
Sedrick Irvin vs. Washington (1997 Aloha)	30
Walt Kowalczyk vs. UCLA (1956 Rose)	30
Ed Pearce vs. Auburn (1938 Orange)	29
Lorenzo White vs. Georgia Tech (1985 All-American)	27
Billy Wells vs. UCLA (1954 Rose)	27

Passing

Passer-Receiver vs. Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Tony Banks-Muhsin Muhammad vs. LSU (1995 Independence)	*78
Jeff Smoker-Charles Rogers vs. Fresno State (2001 Silicon Valley)	*72
Jeff Smoker-Charles Rogers vs. Fresno State (2001 Silicon Valley)	*69
Clarence Peaks-John Lewis vs. UCLA (1956 Rose)	*67
Bobby McAllister-Andre Rison vs. Georgia (1989 Gator)	*55
Bobby McAllister-Andre Rison vs. Southern Cal (1988 Rose)	55
Bobby McAllister-Andre Rison vs. Georgia (1989 Gator)	51
Bobby McAllister-Andre Rison vs. Georgia (1989 Gator)	*50
Keith Nichol-Bennie Fowler vs. Alabama (2011 Capital One)	*49
Kirk Cousins-Blair White vs. Texas Tech (2010 Alamo)	49

Interception Returns

Player vs. Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
John Matsock vs. UCLA (1954 Rose)	49
Tom McShannock vs. Auburn (1938 Orange)	29
Kendell Davis-Clark vs. Georgia (2009 Capital One)	24
Roderick Maples vs. Fresno State (2001 Silicon Valley)	23
Dan Currie (5)/Jim Wulff (17) vs. UCLA (1956 Rose)	22

Fumble Returns

Player vs. Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
T.J. Turner vs. Florida (2000 Florida Citrus)	*24

Kickoff Returns

Player vs. Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Derrick Mason vs. LSU (1995 Independence)	*100
Devin Thomas vs. Boston College (2007 Champs Sports)	79
Leroy McFadden vs. Washington (1997 Aloha)	59
Courtney Hawkins vs. Southern Cal (1990 Sun)	57
Leroy McFadden vs. Washington (1997 Aloha)	44

Punt Returns

Player vs. Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Billy Wells vs. UCLA (1954 Rose)	*62
Sedrick Irvin vs. Washington (1997 Aloha)	42
Derrick Mason vs. LSU (1995 Independence)	22
Gari Scott vs. Washington (1997 Aloha)	20

Punts

Player vs. Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Brandon Fields vs. Nebraska (2003 Alamo)	62
Greg Montgomery vs. Southern Cal (1988 Rose)	60
Ralf Mojsiejenko vs. Army (1984 Cherry)	60
Ralf Mojsiejenko vs. Army (1984 Cherry)	59
Ralf Mojsiejenko vs. Army (1984 Cherry)	58

Field Goals

Player vs. Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
John Langeloh vs. Southern Cal (1990 Sun)	52
Dave Rayner vs. Nebraska (2003 Alamo)	46
Paul Edinger vs. Florida (2000 Florida Citrus)	46
Brett Swenson vs. Texas Tech (2010 Alamo)	44
Paul Edinger vs. Washington (1997 Aloha)	43

**Touchdown*

OPPONENT

Rushing

Player, Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Kevin Faulk, LSU (1995 Independence)	68
Jammal Lord, Nebraska (2003 Alamo)	66
Mike Reed, Washington (1997 Aloha)	*64
Eddie Lacy, Alabama (2011 Capital One)	*62
Malcolm King, Georgia Tech (1985 All-American)	56

Passing

Passer-Receiver, Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
David Carr-Rodney Wright, Fresno State (2001 Silicon Valley)	*79
Matt Ryan-Rich Gunnell, Boston College (2007 Champs Sports)	*68
Jammal Lord-Isaiah Fluellen, Nebraska (2003 Alamo)	58
Taylor Potts-Austin Zouzalik, Texas Tech (2010 Alamo)	50
Taylor Potts-Baron Batch, Texas Tech (2010 Alamo)	49
Herb Tyler-Eddie Kennison, LSU (1995 Independence)	49

Interception Returns

Player, Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Josh Madsen (29)/Leroy Pruitt (50), Stanford (1996 Sun)	*79
Lester Towns, Washington (1997 Aloha)	*66
Tony Parrish, Washington (1997 Aloha)	*56
Bob Stiles, UCLA (1966 Rose)	42
Jamie Silva, Boston College (2007 Champs Sports)	38

Fumble Returns

Player, Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Gabe Northern, LSU (1995 Independence)	*37

Kickoff Returns

Player, Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Eddie Kennison, LSU (1995 Independence)	*92
Ramarcus Brown, Georgia (2009 Capital One)	39
John Capel, Florida (2000 Florida Citrus)	38
Bernard Berrian, Fresno State (2001 Silicon Valley)	34
Jeff Snyder, Hawaii (1989 Aloha)	34
Paul Cameron, UCLA (1954 Rose)	34

Punt Returns

Player, Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Randy Tanner, Southern Cal (1988 Rose)	39
Prince Miller, Georgia (2009 Capital One)	38
Aaron Bailey, Louisville (1993 Liberty)	25
Troy Walters, Stanford (1996 Sun)	24
Curtis Conway, Southern Cal (1990 Sun)	22
Speck Kelly, Auburn (1938 Orange)	22

Punts

Player, Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Ronnie Knox, UCLA (1956 Rose)	67
Brian Mimbs, Georgia (2009 Capital One)	62
Brandon Brookfield, Louisville (1993 Liberty)	59
Paul Cameron, UCLA (1954 Rose)	59
Kyle Larson, Nebraska (2003 Alamo)	58
Chris Sperle, Southern Cal (1988 Rose)	58

Field Goals

Player, Opponent (Year, Bowl)	Yards
Quin Rodriguez, Southern Cal (1990 Sun)	54
Wade Richey, LSU (1995 Independence)	48
Quin Rodriguez, Southern Cal (1990 Sun)	43
Nick Lentz, Washington (1997 Aloha)	41
David Bell, Georgia Tech (1985 All-American)	40

**Touchdown*